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Final Bulletins Wooden Trawlers To Be Built Here

OTTAWA (CP)—Munitions Minister Howe said this afternoon plans are under way to build wooden fishing trawlers in British Columbia coast yards.

He added that so far as he knows there is no intention at present to build larger wooden vessels at the coast.

Japs on Corregidor

WASHINGTON (AP)—The U.S. War Department announced late this afternoon that Japanese forces had effected a landing on Corregidor Island, last stronghold of the U.S. defenders of the Philippines.

English Town Bombed

LONDON (CP)—Four bomb-carrying German fighter planes raided a southeast coast town briefly tonight, machine-gunning the streets and bombing property. Several casualties resulted in small homes which crumbled.

Gain at Light Cost

LONDON (CP)—The Admiralty and War Office announced tonight "operations are proceeding (on Madagascar) and our casualties have so far been light."

"It is understood the Governor-General of Madagascar has declared his intention to resist," the communique added.

Name Col. Biggar New Censor Chief

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King announces a new office of director of censorship, headed by Col. O. M. Biggar of Ottawa to centralize and co-ordinate all branches of censorship.

Col. Biggar will continue to act as joint chairman of the Canada-United States Joint Permanent Defence Board.

Promote City Man

CALGARY (CP)—Promotion of Major R. H. McDougall, M.M., to the rank of lieutenant-colonel is announced. He is officer commanding No. 40 Company, Canadian Dental Corps, and is commanding dental officer for No. 4 Training Command of the R.C.A.F. During the years of peace he practiced his profession at Victoria, B.C.

May Draft Reserves

OTTAWA (CP)—Consideration is being given to the calling of men of draft age in the reserve army for compulsory military training, it was learned today.

Action has not yet been taken but as a result of a study being made of reserve army conditions it is thought highly probable in official circles that district boards will shortly receive instructions on a new policy dealing with the calling up of reserve army men.

Little Bergen Opens

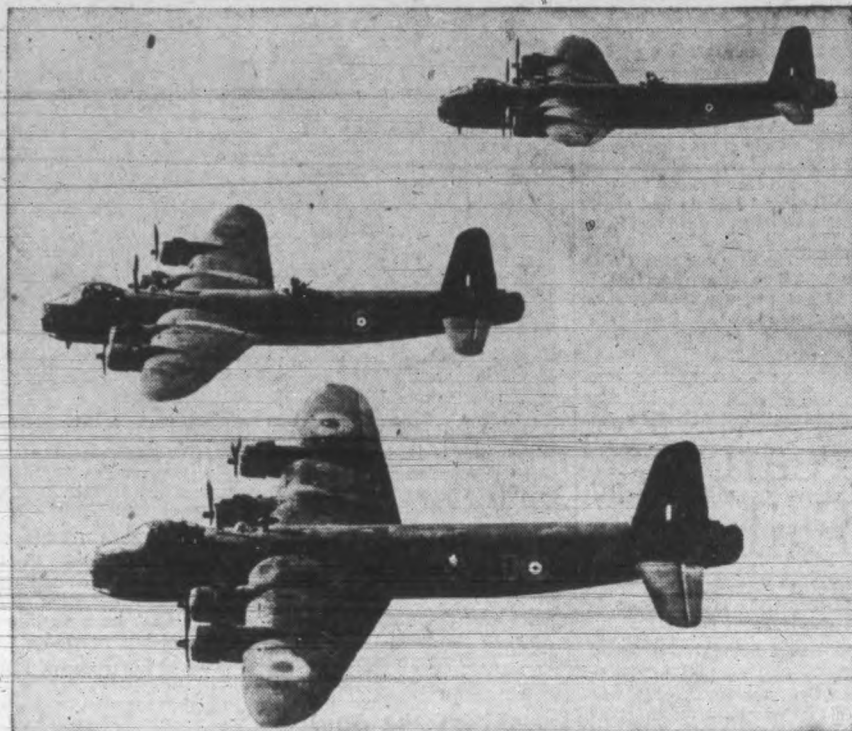
GRAVENHURST, Ont. (CP)—Crown Prince Olav of Norway Monday opened Little Bergen, newest camp in Canada for the Royal Norwegian Air Force.



NAZI RECAPTURED—Lieut. Peter Krug of the Luftwaffe, who escaped from the war prisoners' camp at Bowmanville, Ont., along with a companion, has been recaptured at San Antonio, Tex., according to F.B.I. agents. Krug escaped April 16. His companion was at liberty only a short time.

R.A.F. Blasts Stuttgart, Pilsen

New Long Range Bombers Strike Deep Into Europe



SPREAD RUIN IN GERMANY—Stirlings, like those pictured above, each capable of carrying 8 tons of bombs, threw their loads of devastation on the German-operated Skoda armament works in old Czechoslovakia in the latest raid.

LONDON (CP)—Great new R.A.F. bombers ranging as much as 600 miles over enemy territory attacked the huge Skoda armament works at Pilsen Monday night for the second time in 10 days, struck in force at Stuttgart, a major manufacturing city in southwest Germany, and raided the docks of German-occupied Nantes.

Then, resuming their day sweeps, R.A.F. fighter squadrons sped over the straits toward the French coast this afternoon at great heights.

A squadron of Stirlings, heavy four-motored craft capable of carrying eight tons of explosives each, was sent on the long foray against the Skoda works in old Czechoslovakia.

It was the second time the new Stirling bombers had attacked Pilsen, which they bombed April 25.

Call Night's Work 'Most Impressive'

The Air Ministry gave no details of the results of the new raids, but air experts, noting they were carried out in the face of unfavorable weather and enemy opposition with the loss of only three bombers, called the night's work "one of the R.A.F.'s most impressive achievements."

Many bombers made up the raiding armada, which the Air Ministry described only as a strong force.

The R.A.F. bagged seven German planes during the night. A "fly cop" Czech flight lieutenant got three of them. Flying over

three German airfields in the R.A.F. tactic of waylaying German raiders as they return to home base, this pilot was credited with shooting down three of six Heinkels he encountered over one airdrome in northern France. He used a four-cannon Hurricane plane.

One plane was shot down off the south coast of England, which the Germans raided, and an authoritative source said three more German bombers were destroyed over Britain.

The Air Ministry communique told of other attacks. "Aircraft of the fighter command attacked enemy air fields in France," it said. "Coastal command aircraft attacked shipping off the coast of Holland and Norway and bombed the Mandal (Norway) airdrome."

Long Range Guns Fire Over Straits

British long range guns, apparently shelling a Nazi convoy in Dover Strait or French shore objectives, fired spasmodically for one and a half hours early today. Their flashes illuminated the English coast. R.A.F. planes, perhaps on reconnaissance, were heard crossing the Channel at the same time.

The fresh aerial blow at Germany was another in a new series started Sunday night after weather conditions had restricted bombing operations for 72 hours.

Stuttgart is an important manufacturing city of about 500,000 population in southwestern Germany which contributes

machinery, electrical equipment and textiles to the Nazi war machine. The modern capital of Wuertemberg, it lies near the Neckar River, a tributary of the Rhine.

A statement on the attack said:

"The town is the heart of the industrial district containing the headquarters of concerns such as Bosch, the leading specialists in every kind of electrical equipment, especially equipment for internal combustion engines; Daimler and Benz, who make air engines, heavy military lorries, engines for tanks; and Hirth, who make air engines and other precision equipment."

Germans Retaliate On English Towns

German bombers, which observers said apparently were escorted by fighter planes for the first time in their current "reprisal" raids, struck sharply at two southern English coastal regions, and the government stated "some casualties and damage were caused." The force was estimated by one watcher at 30.

(The German radio claimed strong, Nazi formations Monday night dropped explosives and incendiary bombs on Cowes, on the Channel coast in the Portsmouth area, and also made Eastbourne, just west of Dover Strait, a night bombing target.)

It was assumed the fighters were assigned in an effort to reduce losses such as were encountered at Bath, Exeter and York.

Japanese Invade Southern China Via Burma Road

CHUNGKING (AP)—Japanese troops invaded China's Yunnan province today after driving up the Burma Road and crossing the shallow Wanting River, 670 miles from this capital, a military spokesman said.

Bitter fighting is in progress in the area around the border town of Wanting, still in Chinese hands, the spokesman reported.

He declared destruction of the Chinese section of the Burma Road, which winds through sheer mountains and gaping gorges, had not yet been necessary, but that the Chinese would carry out their scorched earth policy if necessary.

NEW AIR BASE

(The Japanese claimed their air force already had carried the war far into Yunnan province with a heavy raid on Yungchang, about 100 miles inside the province where the Burma Road crosses the upper reaches of the great Mekong River. A dispatch to the Tokyo newspaper Asahi, indicating an air base had been established there, claimed the raiders destroyed nine planes, seven of which were grounded. The dispatch added that the town had been left in flames.)

Thus in little less than two months the Japanese invaders of Burma had driven 500 miles from Rangoon to China's back door. The great Burma port, which the Japanese have since utilized as its main supply base, fell March 8.

The advance to Wanting represented a 90-mile drive along the Burma supply road from Lashio.

The Japanese appeared intent on severing communications between the Chinese of the left flank and British forces of the right—at the wild mountain approaches to India, the spokesman said.

ATTACK AIR BASE

NEW DELHI (AP)—United States bombers drove through a heavy thunderstorm early today and attacked a major Japanese air base just north of Rangoon where 70 enemy aircraft had been sighted.

\$5 LIVING BONUS FOR SINGLE GROUP

B.C. government employees earning under \$2,100 a year, when they have been in government employment six months, will receive \$5 a month cost-of-living bonus, Premier John Hart announced today. It will be retroactive to the April checks.

"All salaries are also being investigated and where there are any real grievances consideration is being given to inequalities," the Premier said.

Last month it was announced married persons and household heads earning under \$2,100 a year would be given \$10 a month living bonus. Single persons immediately protested by petition to their ministers. Opposition leader and C.C.F. Chieftain, Harold Winch took up the fight for them.

U.S. Warns Vichy As Battle Rages Over Madagascar

VICHY (AP)—British forces which landed on the French island of Madagascar were reported tonight to have driven to Andrakaka, less than four miles from the great naval base of Diego Suarez and six miles from their landing place on Courier Bay.

Advance on Port From Land Side

LONDON (CP)—British commandos, marines and infantry landed on the northern tip of Madagascar today, and a Vichy news agency broadcast that they were attacking Diego Suarez from the rear while warships and squadrons of airplanes assaulted the harbor frontally.

British parachute troops also were used in the attack, the Vichy broadcast said.

The troops landed at Courier Bay and started pushing ten miles across the northern isthmus against the base, to forestall its seizure by the Japanese.

The Vichy broadcast said the British naval forces consisted of two cruisers, four destroyers, two troop transports and probably an aircraft carrier. Two British planes were reported shot down.

Roosevelt's Note Ruled 'Inadmissible'

Meanwhile a Vichy dispatch said Chief of Government Laval declared tonight he had received a note from President Roosevelt demanding that France not defend Madagascar against British attack, and that the Vichy government regarded this note as inadmissible.

Nevertheless, France under no circumstances will make the first move toward a rupture with the United States, Laval said.

Addressing a press conference, Laval declared in a husky voice: "The French government leaves to President Roosevelt his part of the responsibility of the eventual consequences of this aggression."

Laval said he had given this word to the U.S. charge d'affaires, S. Pinckney Tuck, in a 15-minute conference this morning at which Roosevelt's note was delivered. He said: "In response to the American note, the French government raises the most energetic protest against this aggression and takes notice that Madagascar will be returned to France and rejects as inadmissible the pretence to forbid the French government to defend its territory."

Pétain and Darlan Order Resistance

Another Vichy dispatch quoted by Reuters said earlier today Marshal Pétain and Admiral Darlan, chief of the armed forces, have sent a message to the com-



These maps give an impression of the size of Madagascar and its importance in relation to operations in the Indian Ocean.



mander-in-chief at Madagascar urging the troops "to resist attack and defend the honor of the French flag."

As the occupation force moved in on the Vichy French colony, informed London sources declared there was "a possibility the Japanese may take the bold step and strike directly at Madagascar."

In view of the swift British action, however, they thought the Japanese, who are believed to have a powerful battle squadron on the move somewhere in the Indian Ocean, would seek first to obtain bases on the British islands of Ceylon or Mauritius. The Allied naval position in those waters remained obscure.

Informed quarters agreed the United Nations had "won the first trick" in the Indian Ocean by the British landing on Madagascar at dawn, but there was wide speculation on the possibility of Axis attack.

A military commentator, who said the landing was carried out about 3 a.m., British double summer time (6 p.m. Monday, P.D.T.) said the special services troops mentioned in a joint admiralty-war office communique were commandos specially trained for landing operations.

Improvement In Allied Position

The United Nations' position in the Indian Ocean was viewed as "greatly improved" by the landing, particularly if Axis reports that the powerful new United States battleships Washington and North Carolina are operating in those waters prove true, they declared.

A British spokesman stressed the action was essentially "a United Nations strategy and the British were merely the agents to carry it out."

"Since the accession to power of Pierre Laval, the Axis threat to Madagascar had become greater than ever," he continued, "and the seriousness of that threat had been underlined during the past two or three days by the fact that Japanese admirals Nomura and Abe are apparently in Vichy where they are being handsomely entertained by the Vichy government."

Jap Delegates Speed to Berlin

A Reuters dispatch said the admirals, Japanese co-ordinators of strategy with Germany and Italy, had left by air for Berlin today. They had been expected to remain, according to Vichy advices Monday.

The British commentator said their presence in Vichy had been taken here as a sign that "yet further concessions by the Vichy government to the Axis and, in particular, to Japan" were imminent.

Conscription Decision Due Before Week-end

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

OTTAWA—Premier King was back in Ottawa today after a long week-end in the country and he brought with him an answer to the current riddle of Canadian politics. But what the Prime Minister intends to do about conscription in this greatest political crisis of his career no one, perhaps not even his colleagues, yet knows.

It was known, however, that Parliament must face and settle one way or another immediately the question of whether Canada is to have overseas conscription or not. It was known, also, that in principle anyway, conscription would become the policy and law of the nation during the next few days by the removal of clause 3 in the National Resources Mobilization Act.

The whole question on Mr. King's return is not whether this clause will be repealed, for it must be, but what reservations the Prime Minister would build around that repeal.

That there will be reservations is certain. Three are suggested: 1. That the government will not actually conscript men for overseas service without coming

back to Parliament for a final release. But this is such a timid proposal that it would not satisfy a majority of government's English-speaking supporters.

2. That conscription be used now, but only in the Western Hemisphere, including Iceland. But this, too, would be unsatisfactory to a large Liberal party.

3. That conscription be adopted in principle without territorial reservation, but that it be enforced only if and when voluntary recruiting fails.

The last is the most likely formula and even it is unsatisfactory to some powerful Liberals. Mr. King may be able to persuade them to accept it as an intermediary step towards total conscription and necessary to hold some semblance of national unity. Or, he may have some other formula of which nothing has been heard.

As the government is determined to have a quick decision and is definitely opposed to a long debate which would hold up vital business, the nation should know before the end of the week whether its will as expressed in the plebiscite is to be enforced or evaded.



WHERE 17 DIED IN FLAMING CRASH OF BIG AIRLINER—Seventeen persons, including three crew members, died in this wreckage of a big United Air Lines Mainliner when it crashed and burned on a mountainside within sight of the Salt Lake City airport. The ship was eastbound from San Francisco and crashed as it was about to make a routine landing.

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Germans Say French Sub Sunk

BERLIN (From German
Broadcasts, AP)—DNB said to-
day that a French submarine and
tender had been sunk at Madagas-
car resisting the British landing.

British naval and air forces
first appeared off Diego Suarez
Monday, DNB reported, and
Governor-General Armand Annet
rejected an ultimatum with a
seven-hour time limit.

The British attack then started
Monday evening, the agency said.
The German radio declared the
announced purpose of the British
naval-military force at Madaga-
scar—to forestall a Japanese
move—was "a hollow pretence."

"As the British were unsuccess-
ful against the enemy they seek
compensation by violating
neutrals and their old comrades-
in-arms," the announcer said.

"The British War Ministry as-
serts it will not interfere with the
French administration in Madaga-
scar. One knows from Syria,
Iraq, Iran and Iceland what to
think of these assurances."

Rev. F. John Scroggie, who was
announced for special meetings
in the Central Baptist Church and
was delayed in entering Canada
owing to United States regula-
tions, arrived with Mrs. Scroggie
this morning and they will con-
duct meetings as scheduled. Mr.
Scroggie will give his first mes-
sage in the Central Baptist
Church this evening at 8, con-
tinuing each evening until Friday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Vernon B. Taylor, osteo-
pathic physician, new location,
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"India's Hour of Peril" lecture
in aid of Red Cross by Sir Robert
Hoiland, K.C.I.E., Oak Bay Mu-
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12 Escape Jap-held Islands

Fliers Brave Perils to Navigate 1,500 Miles in Small Open Boat

MELBOURNE (AP)—Twelve
air force men have reached Aus-
tralia after sailing for 44 days
across 1,500 miles of open sea
from Java in a lifeboat, a feat
which naval authorities acclaim
as one of the great open boat
voyages of history.

R.A.F. Wing Commander Jeud-
wine was permitted today to tell
the story of the navigation feat
in which he and his companions,
eight Australians and three other
Britons, made good their daring
escape from the Japanese-occu-
pied Dutch East Indies.

They were becalmed and storm-
damaged. They were menaced
by a whale. They were seen—
but ignored—by a Japanese sub-
marine and unseen by an Aus-
tralian flying boat which they
hoped to sight.

When the escape was planned,
Jeudwine related, only two life-

boats and one motorboat could
be found.
When they set out March 6, he
said, there were 30 men in each
lifeboat and five in the motor-
boat, along with a limited food
supply, a sextant, two compasses
and one map.

2 BOATS LOST
Unfortunately, the motorboat
and one lifeboat were wrecked in
a narrow passage and all but the
chosen dozen—picked just as an
air crew would be for a flight—
had to stay behind.

Jeudwine said the crew of 12
completed repairs and the
refugees set sail again at dusk
of March 7, leaving behind an
inferno in the town where the
Dutch had blown up installations.
After being becalmed through-
out the first night, Jeudwine related,
a slight breeze sprang up the next
afternoon and the little boatload
had just begun to move "when

a Japanese submarine surfaced a
mile astern of us."
"Her conning tower opened and
we saw a Japanese officer scruti-
nizing us through binoculars.
She approached within 50 yards,
made a half-circle, then sailed
away."

The rudder broke during a
storm, he said, and three Aus-
tralians appointed themselves a
committee of shipwrights and
worked three days to fix it. Again
a violent storm tore the repaired
rudder loose once more and the
men patched it up with makeshift
tools and bits of wire.

Jeudwine told how rescuers
finally sighted them and flew
them to the mainland after they
had put ashore on Fraser Island,
a tiny, sandy mound which lies
only four miles off the coast of
western Australia.

"After 44 days at sea we were
like drunken men," he said. "Our

legs would not support us and
most of us promptly fell over.
But after breakfast we set off
again.

"We saw a flying boat and
flushed mirrors at it, but it passed
on. Later it turned out the pilot
thought we were a pearling
luggie."

"The next day we saw another
flying boat and raised a pyjama
jacket as a signal of distress. The
plane alighted and the pilot was
extremely cautious, but eventu-
ally he offered to take six of us
aboard. Only three volunteered.

"The rest resumed the boat
voyage, but the next day he again
appeared and said he had orders
that we be taken aboard and flown
to Australia."

"Our health was remarkably
good. There were some ulcers,
abrasions and eye trouble from
the exposure."

"We made a point of swimming
overside daily."

Nazi Army May Seek Peace

Hitler's Generals Threaten Revolt if Campaign Fails

LONDON (AP)—A group of
Adolf Hitler's generals headed by
Field Marshal Walther von
Brauchitsch was reported today
to have told the Fuehrer bluntly
that if his 1942 campaign in
Russia fails, they will try to in-
stitute for Germany an alternate
plan of their own calling for
"abolition of the Nazi system."

A responsible source with un-
usually reliable information
about conditions inside Germany,
said Hitler had accepted this
challenge calmly, and appointed
Von Brauchitsch a member of the
supreme command.

Hitler relieved Von Brauchitsch
as commander-in-chief last Dec.
21, and announced that he him-
self, relying on his "intuition,"
had assumed direct command of
his armies.

The source said the incident
might be interpreted in two
ways:

1. That Hitler was confident of

victory but needed the help of his
former commander-in-chief and
Von Brauchitsch's friends and
hoped his appointment would
win over critics; or

SEEKS COMPROMISE
2. That he was beginning to
recognize his weakness and was
seeking compromises.

Von Brauchitsch was one of the
strongest opponents of Hitler's
plan for holding the forward po-
sitions in Russia through the
winter, and counselled a fall back
from Moscow long before Hitler
agreed.

Von Brauchitsch was said to
have the confidence and backing
of such men as Field Marshal
Fedor von Bock, Col. Gen. Franz
Halder and Field Marshal Karl
Rudolph Gerd von Rundstedt,
commander of the occupied Atlan-
tic coasts.

All three were reported dis-
trustful of Hitler's "intuition"
generalship and his extension of

greater powers to the Gestapo,
with which the army frequently
has clashed.

MAY SEEK PEACE

There was no hint in the in-
formation reaching London whe-
ther the Von Brauchitsch clique
had threatened Hitler with dis-
placement or promised him some
kind of chancellorship in the new
order they would institute if his
plans failed, the source said.

The informant added that he
believed the dissident generals
might want to turn the campaign
elsewhere, rather than to Russia,
and to halt offensive warfare and
seek to hold Germany's gains by
defensive fighting. The clique
might even strive by the re-
moval of Hitlerism to gain a ne-
gotiated peace favorable to Ger-
many, the source said.

The informant said there had
been hints of some kind of Ger-
man political friction involving
Goering.

7,000 TO 8,000 DEAD AT ROSTOCK

NEW YORK (AP)—Between
7,000 and 8,000 persons were
killed in the German Baltic port
of Rostock which the R.A.F. at-
tacked last month for four
straight nights, the Stockholm
correspondent of the New York
Times said today in quoting re-
liable travelers arriving from
Berlin.

More than 30,000 persons also
are homeless, and many of the
city's refugees are camped in the
open because of a lack of Nazi
welfare facilities, the dispatch
said.

The "preliminary" figure of 163
dead so far released by the Ger-
man Propaganda Ministry has
caused much indignation in Ber-
lin, where Rostock's refugees
have by now arrived in great
numbers and are constantly tel-
ling the tale of the city's destruc-
tion," the correspondent said.

Berliners were reported feel-
ing uneasy and those with the
right army or party connections
were sending their wives and
children out of the capital.

Nazis Panic-stricken

St. Nazaire French Attacked Germans

LONDON (CP)—The French
population of St. Nazaire
battled alongside British com-
mandos against the Germans for
3½ days after the commandos
landed there on the night of
March 27-28 while intermittent
explosions rocked the town for
days after the landing, the Free
French press service reported to-
day.

The service quoted a dramatic
eyewitness account by an un-
named correspondent, who told
also of two British officers who
were taken prisoner, allowing
themselves to be blown up aboard
the destroyer Campbelltown, just
to prove to the Germans she con-
tained no explosives.

The correspondent related that
the first intimation of the raid
was the appearance of British
planes the night of March 27.

"At 1 a.m. the British forces
began to land," he went on. "The
destroyer Campbelltown headed
for the dockage, slowly at first,
then with increasing speed."

"The Germans reacted very
poorly. They were stunned, and
seemed unable to believe their
eyes. They maintained intense
but inaccurate fire on the Cam-
peltown as she approached the
dockage."

HOIST UNION JACK

Meanwhile, the mechanism of
the gate had been put out of
action by British landing parties.
Other detachments rapidly occu-
pied the Penhote shipbuilding
yards and the railway station,
which they held two hours, and
where they hoisted the Union
Jack.

"The French population spon-
taneously left their houses and
attacked Germans in the streets.
The Germans showed signs of
panic. They then were expect-
ing a full-scale British invasion.
Two thousand of their sailors im-
mediately were ordered to evacu-
ate inland."

Meanwhile the German author-
ities were questioning two Brit-
ish officers who had been taken
prisoner. The Campbelltown,
which was firmly wedged in the
dockage, had not yet exploded.
"The Germans asked the Brit-
ish officers if the Campbelltown
contained explosives. The Britons

replied in the negative. To test
their good faith the Germans
asked them if they would accom-
pany the party which was going
to inspect the destroyer.

"The British officers immedi-
ately agreed. They accompanied
a party of high German naval
officers and engineers on board.
No sooner were they on board
than the Campbelltown and the
dockage blew up. The two heroic
British officers and all the Ger-
mans aboard were instantly killed."

"By 8 a.m. March 28, calm had
temporarily been established. The
Germans succeeded in retaking
the submarine base but only after
re-embarkation of the British."

TOWN IN FERMENT

"What the Germans did not
realize was that a number of the
commandos had been left behind.
Throughout the afternoon the
Germans were in a state of wild
agitation. The town was in fer-
ment."

"At 7 p.m. the old entrance to
the submarine base, at which two
delayed action torpedoes had
been fired the previous night,
blew up with a violent explosion."

"As though by prearranged sig-
nal, fighting immediately broke
out between the Germans, who
had completely lost their nerve,
and the French population and
the commandos. A series of
small but furious battles were
fought in the streets, in cafes,
and in private houses."

"Hostilities continued without
respite over the weekend and en-
ded only on the night of Mon-
day-Tuesday."

"The French population rose in
a body and fought tirelessly with
any arms on which they could
lay their hands. The com-
mandos also fought magnifi-
cently although they must have
known they had little hope of
escaping with their lives."

Vichy Admiral Talks

VICHY (AP)—Rear Admiral
Rene Platon, secretary of state
in the Vichy foreign ministry,
said Monday Britain would not
win the war. He spoke at a
funeral ceremony for victims of
the last R.A.F. raid on the Paris
area. "We can not believe such
crimes will go unpunished," he
said in discussing the raids,



PRESIDENT SEES THE LIGHT?—Washington newspaper-
men who interview President Roosevelt daily say that in the
past three weeks a marked change has come over the Ameri-
can President and that he is now bubbling over with good
spirits and confidence. They maintain that he acts like a
man who has been through a dark tunnel but now sees the
light. This photo shows Mr. Roosevelt in particularly good
humor.

Laval 'On the Spot'

Invasion of Madagascar Strong Warning to Vichy

By DE WITT MACKENZIE

Associated Press War Analyst

British occupation of French
Madagascar, with two-fisted back-
ing by the United States, will
boost Allied morale, not only be-
cause we have beaten the Japs to
a base of vast strategic impor-
tance but because the operation
represents the shirt-sleeve initia-
tive which is going to win this
war.

In itself it is a blunt notifica-
tion to Pierre Laval—the Vichy
chief of government who has
hitched his creaky cart to Hitler's
star—that any warlike action
against the occupying forces at
Madagascar will be an act of war
against the United States.

APPLIES TO NAVY

Laval can scarcely fail to in-
terpret this warning as applying
not only to Madagascar but to
any other hostile move, such as
turning the French navy and
colonies over to the Germans.
There can be small doubt he
would like to seize on the present
incident as a casus belli with
which to whip the French
public up to the point of hos-
ilities against Britain.

However, the French people on
the whole are with the Allies.
Laval is crafty and one wouldn't
expect him to allow his anger at
the Madagascar setback to drive
him into any rash effort to lead
his government into conflict with
the Allies at this juncture. All
the indications are he will be ask-
ing for trouble at home if he
does.

The occupation of the island of
Madagascar, which lies like a
huge sausage parallel to the
southeast coast of Africa, is the
equivalent of a major military
victory. Because of its domina-
tion of the shipping lane into the
Indian Ocean around the Cape of
Good Hope, Madagascar is one of
the keys to that vast body of
water.

The Japs apparently were about
to occupy it themselves and had
and subsequently were recalled
for further training.

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Set Up Council To Get Supplies For Australians

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS,
Australia (AP)—Allied air forces
again have smashed forcefully at
Japanese island bases above
Australia and beaten off another
enemy raid on Port Moresby, a
communique announced today.

It listed five Japanese planes
as hit by Allied fighters defend-
ing the United Nations New
Guinea outpost against a raiding
air squadron of nine heavy
bombers escorted by 10 Zero
naval fighters. Four of the hit
raiders were bombers, the com-
munique said, and the raid—
aimed at an airdrome—was "with-
out effect."

Airdromes also were the ob-
jectives of Allied raiders over
both Lae, New Guinea and
Rabaul, New Britain. At Lae,
the communique said, an un-
disclosed number of grounded
enemy aircraft were damaged by
attacking fighter forces, and at
Rabaul bombers scored direct
hits on three planes, spread
bombs over an area where 20
others were dispersed and started
fires in supply dumps.

NEW COUNCIL

The Australian war cabinet, in
a meeting today in Canberra, de-
cided on the personnel, purpose
and function of a body to be
known as the Allied Supply Coun-
cil.

Members of the council will be:
John A. Beasley, Minister of Sup-
ply; Hormon J. M. Makin, Min-
ister of Navy and Munitions; R. V.
Keane, Minister of Trade and
Customs; J. J. Dedman, Minister
of War Organization and Indus-
trial Research; a representative
of the United States government
and the chairman of the Allied
supply committee, who has not
yet been chosen.

Mr. Beasley will serve as chair-
man and the American representa-
tive deputy chairman.

The council primarily will be a
co-ordinating, planning and ad-
visory body with power to make
recommendations to Prime Min-
ister John Curtin as a link with
Gen. Douglas MacArthur regard-
ing executive action which should
be taken.

MACARTHUR DECIDES

The U.S. government, it was
pointed out, has delegated to
Gen. MacArthur the final decision
for allocation of supplies from
the United States and the council
will be the medium through
which the Australian government
will approach the supreme com-
mander of United Nations forces
in the southwest Pacific regard-
ing the priority of supplies to be
allotted from the United States.

At the same time, Australia
was told Washington is deter-
mined to supply her with every-
thing essential to hold this coun-
try as a bastion for the present
and future.

She received this assurance
from Sir Herbert Gepp on his re-
turn from a nine-month tour of
the United States and Canada for
the Commonwealth government
on lease-lend matters.

Sir Herbert said Australia
must "understand the North
American peoples' determination
to see the war through success-
fully and appreciate the sacrifices
America is willingly making."

Ptomaine Poisoning Kills 2 Indians

UCLUELET (By B.C. Police
Radio)—Two Indians of the It-
tateso band, Tyee Jack, 70, and
his daughter, Lucy Jack (age
ungiven), died here Monday
night from ptomaine poisoning
after eating sea asparagus and
mussels in the afternoon.
Another Indian, whose name was
not learned, is dying. A coroner
from Port Alberni conducted an
investigation today.

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'People's Army' Urged for Canada

LONDON, Ont. (CP)—Gravity of the war situation demands in Canada the creation of a "people's army" which will enlist the services of every able-bodied man and woman, Maj. Gen. B. W. Browne, director-general of the reserve army of Canada, said here.

"Reserve army training won't be a hobby," he said, speaking before leading military officials and prominent citizens who were guests at a local Military Institute meeting. "It will provide essential training for men who at any time may be called out to fight for Canada."

Norwegian Recruiting Mission Coming Here

VANCOUVER (CP)—Fifty Norwegian residents of Vancouver have been called to appear for medical examination before recruiting officers of the Royal Norwegian military mission visiting here today and Wednesday.

The mission will also visit Victoria and Vernon. The men will be trained in Canada under Norwegian army officers.

Ontario Judge Dead

CHATHAM, Ont. (CP)—County Judge Uriah McFadden died suddenly of a heart attack in hospital here Monday. He was appointed judge of Kent County in March, 1931.

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\$250	32.86	22.32	21.42	21.42	21.42	21.42
\$300	39.43	26.79	25.70	25.70	25.70	25.70
\$350	46.00	31.26	30.08	30.08	30.08	30.08
\$400	52.57	35.73	34.50	34.50	34.50	34.50
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Defence Regulations Inquiry

Franceschini Case Debated in Commons

OTTAWA (CP)—Justice Minister St. Laurent Monday night told the House of Commons James Franceschini, wealthy Italian-born industrialist of Toronto, was released from internment because ill-health had rendered him unlikely to prove a danger to the state.

It was understood, the minister said, that unless he obtained surgical attention Mr. Franceschini's life expectancy would be a matter of days.

Discussion of the Franceschini case was precipitated by John Diefenbaker, Con., Lake Centre, Sask.

A resolution setting up a committee to review Defence of Canada Regulations carried unanimously.

Mr. Diefenbaker quoted from answers he had received to a formal question in the House, disclosing that while Franceschini was interned, his extensive properties were administered by their directors and that government orders amounting to more than \$5,000,000 were given those firms.

Then, when Franceschini had been released, Mr. Diefenbaker said, the government had bought one of his plants, the Dufferin Shipbuilding Company, for more than \$900,000.

DIFFICULT

"These circumstances are difficult to understand," he said. "Why could an enemy of the country be able to have his business carried on while he was interned and then get the profits when he was released."

"In my opinion it will be difficult for the government to explain if the only ground for his release was the one given at the time of his discharge."

Conservative House Leader Hanson started the debate when he suggested that the minister, who had offered the resolution without speaking on it, make a statement on the government's attitude toward the Communist Party.

PUBLICATIONS

M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. House leader, devoted his speech on the resolution to criticism of the attitude toward publications which have been banned, claiming some which should be questioned are left unmoored.

He referred to the "Voice of Austria," a publication printed now in Canada, which he claimed was bitter toward Canada's Allies, notably Czechoslovakia and toward Sir Stafford Cripps, member of the Churchill cabinet in London.

Mr. Coldwell also questioned the activities of Otto Strasser, co-founder of the Nazi regime in Germany, now a resident of Montreal.

"Otto Strasser is still a Nazi."

as much a Nazi as he ever was," he declared.

John Blackmore, leader of the New Democracy, urged a review of all internments in the face of complaints he had received that there were many injustices.

TRIALS SUGGESTED

An appeal for more specific regulations, trial of suspects where a trial was possible and more publicity for administration methods was made by Arthur Roebuck, Liberal, Toronto-Trinity.

NOT THE SAME

Arthur Slaght, Liberal, Parry Sound, Ont., said it should be realized, "the Communist Party in Canada and our ally, Russia, are not one and the same thing."

Rev. T. C. Douglas, C.C.F., Weyburn, Sask., spoke on behalf of the "Jehovah's Witnesses" sect which has been banned under the regulations. While they spoke of his profession "in the most virulent terms" he said he could not see how they or their publications were subversive of the war effort.

Paul Martin, Liberal, Essex East, Ont., supported Howard Green's suggestion for a review of the naturalization laws, which he said were "in a most deplorable state" and "present a most ridiculous situation."

Jean Francois Pouliot, Liberal, Temiscouata, Que., said Mr. Coldwell had shown a lack of sense of proportion "when he suggests we should worship Sir Stafford Cripps," but he added: "I do not say he is any worse than anyone else."

Mr. Pouliot said Mr. Coldwell was "always burning incense under the noses of people who are too far away to smell it," and Mr. Coldwell joined heartily in the laughter that followed.

"That's very good," he commented.

Train Thousands As Instructors

OTTAWA (CP)—It is planned that 15,000 war plant job instructors will be produced for Canadian industry within the next three months through a new training program inaugurated Monday at Montreal.

"Sponsored by the training branch of the Department of Labor, the program provides training for plant supervisors identical with that now being used with splendid effect in the war industries in the United States," Labor Minister Mitchell said in a statement.

"The program will expand somewhat on the principle of the chain letter."

A group of 12 key men chosen from the principal war production areas by officials of the training branch are being trained as "institute conductors" in the inaugural course which began in Montreal Monday under Clifton H. Cox of the training within industry division of the U.S. war production board.

After a week the 12 will return to their home cities—Vancouver, Winnipeg, Hamilton, Toronto, Kingston and Montreal—and open institutes to which the war plants in those areas will send selected men. These institutes, lasting a week, will also be conducted for groups of 12.

The men trained in the institutes will be given certificates as war production trainers. They will in turn open courses in their respective plants in job instructor training for men and women engaged in supervisory tasks.

Each trainer will turn out 48 instructors every two weeks. They will receive certificates as war production job instructors. "In this way, and with industry co-operating, it is considered a simple matter to reach the objective of 15,000 instructors over the next three months," Mr. Mitchell said.

Japanese Consul Leaves Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP)—Ichiro Kawasaki, Japanese consul here, left Monday night accompanied by his family and 32 Japanese consular personnel and business men who will be exchanged for Canadians of similar status in Japan when that country entered the war.

Kawasaki said his party would go to Ottawa, New York, Lisbon and thence to Portuguese West Africa, where, he understood, the exchange would take place.

Archdeacon Robert Connell will speak to the hard-of-hearing Wednesday at 8.15 in the clubrooms, 1416 Douglas Street.

Mayhew Urges Action to Meet Jap Fire Raids

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

OTTAWA.—"If Japanese airmen drop incendiary bombs on Vancouver Island, it may be in flames before the end of summer, unless we organize," R. W. Mayhew of Victoria warned Parliament last night. He urged immediate formation of a fire-fighting organization, embracing every able-bodied man on the island. Every man should know now where he would go in case of fire, how he would get there and what he would do. But at present, he said, no arrangements have been made for mass civilian fire fighting, no transportation provided, no equipment, no field kitchens, ambulances or hospitals.

Mr. Mayhew added: "There should be someone to say: 'Your businesses are closed up. You must only provide protection enough for that. The rest of you must go and fight the fire.' There is transportation to be taken care of; there is equipment for the men who go to do the work. Where is the direction to come from? Who is to give the instructions? Who is to provide the food? If this government is not responsible, then the responsibility should fall upon some one person."

Defence Minister Ralston said this problem was not military, but civilian, and as such is under active study by Hon. Ian MacKenzie, who has charge of all A.R.P. work in Canada.

Mr. Mayhew also raised the question of police control on the island. He said they had mounted police, provincial police and municipal police, all working satisfactorily together.

But if an emergency arose there would be the immediate question of police leadership and that question should be settled at once, in advance of a possible crisis.

"The principle of single command was recognized in the armed forces and should apply to the police," Mr. Mayhew said. Decision should be made immediately as to who would control the combined police.

He said there now are 6,000 volunteers in the Coast Rangers on Vancouver Island, a body being raised to help defend the island in the event of invasion and he wondered what support it would receive from the government.

New Fire Marshal

OTTAWA (CP)—Oswald Lewish Lister, chief of the B.C. University area fire department at Vancouver, has been appointed fire marshal of the Canadian Army, a new position, said a return tabled in the House of Commons for Dr. H. A. Bruce, Con., Toronto-Parkdale.

He is graded as an assistant quartermaster-general with rank of lieutenant-colonel. He served in the first Great War as a gunner and sergeant.

Gromov now General

MOSCOW (AP)—Col. Mikhail Gromov, Russian air hero who established a world record for long distance nonstop flight in 1937 by flying over the North Pole from Russia across British Columbia to California, was made a major-general of aviation Monday by Stalin. He was one of 77 named generals in a long list of promotions.

Gromov had been a colonel since the start of the war, commanding an aviation group which was credited with downing many German planes.

Coughlin Clean-Up

By ELMORE PHILPOTT

The United States Department of Justice has finally cracked down on Father Coughlin of Detroit. His "indictment" follows closely the barring from the mails of his paper "Social Justice." The wonder is not that Father Coughlin has at long last been put on the spot. The wonder is that he all these years managed to carry on the subversive activity in which he was engaged.

There has appeared a strange affinity between Nazi propaganda agencies and one branch of the monetary reform movement. Since I wrote to that effect some months ago the Social Credit movement, in the United States, has begun to do some housecleaning on its own account. A weekly bulletin entitled "Men First," published by Social Credit Movement at 1133 Broadway, New York, has for weeks past been listing the names and activities of some disguised Fascists who were working their plots under the camouflage of the Social Credit name.

The New York Post has run a series of articles along the same line, unmasking the worst fakers—some of whom have already been picked up by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Gorham Munson, editor of the American Social Credit Bulletin, writes:

"From the beginning I have fought Fascists trying to muscle in on money reform, and the Fascists have understood very well that national dividends distribute individual liberty and have reacted with intense hostility to Social Credit. Social Credit has been a sword that divided the anti-Fascist democrats from the pro-Fascists in money reform groups. And now, the showdown comes! Mr. Dies, investigate the 'money reform'!"

U.S. War Spending Above Great War 1

WASHINGTON (AP)—Government officials state the United States already has paid out in cash for this war as much as it spent during the first Great War.

The cost of the last war to the United States from 1917 until the peace treaty was ratified was \$25,729,000,000, including loans to the Allies.

Since July 1, 1940, when the United States started preparing for the present conflict, the government has paid out approximately \$26,000,000,000 for war purposes. The Treasury paid out \$24,509,000,000 and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and other corporations doing defence work spent about \$1,500,000,000 cash.

With spending running over \$3,000,000,000 a month, moreover, it won't be long before costs of this war exceed the aggregate cost of the last war, including expenditures not only up to the peace treaty but also for pensions, compensation, bonuses and other purposes since. Counting these extras, the first Great War cost about \$45,000,000,000.

\$160,000,000,000 EARMARKED

The projected expenditures for this war now exceed \$160,000,000,000, but it may take a couple of years to pay that much out. The budget bureau figures war costs in the coming fiscal year (starting July 1) at \$70,000,000,000. The current year's war bill will be \$28,000,000,000, while the first year of preparedness, from July

Fascists! Let's switch the light on Coughlinism!"

EXAMPLE FOR CANADA

The example of the United States is one which Canada could follow with advantage. At the beginning of the war Canada interned scores of left-wingers described as Communists. The Technocracy organization was banned 100 per cent. Jehovah's Witnesses were likewise put upon the black list. But far more formidable enemies of Canada and the cause of freedom in this way were allowed to work their way without interference of any kind. In Quebec, for instance, there is every reason to believe that the representatives of the Vichy government of France were just as active in working against our cause as were similar officials elsewhere.

There is every reason to believe that we have at least a dozen different varieties of disguised fifth columnists and fellow-travelers of Fascism in Canada as have been found in all other countries.

Yet for some unexplained reason we have been far slower to act than has the United States since she came into the war. The case of Axel Wenner-Gren is a good illustration. That Swedish multimillionaire and ex-brother-in-law of Goering was treated as a sort of royal exile not only in Canada, but in the British West Indies.

It was not till he was put on the black list by the United States government that British officialdom began to suspect what the layman long previously could see for himself—that there was something decidedly fishy about the activities of this man and his yacht. Indeed, it was not till April of this year—that the yacht Southern Cross was officially put on the statutory black list by the British government.

Canada could do worse than to start an investigation of the activity of those circles in Quebec which financed the organization for a "No" vote in the recent plebiscite.

1, 1940, to June 30, 1941, cost \$6,047,929,292.

Call to Ukrainians

MOSCOW (AP)—Marshall Timoshenko, in a proclamation dropped over enemy-occupied terrain by plane Monday urged the inhabitants to carry on the battle behind the German lines and told the people of the Ukraine "we are coming to liberate you."

With the ground rapidly firming for summer offensives, the commander of Soviet Russia's southern armies urged the inhabitants "at the approach of detachments of the Red army to show them the safe routes for offensive."

Victoria Doctor Successful

OTTAWA (CP)—The Medical Council of Canada has announced the names of 291 candidates who were successful in recent medical council examinations held at six Canadian centres. Nineteen of the 291 are women.

The list of names, grouped by centres at which they wrote their examinations, includes:

Edmonton—Allan D. McKenzie, Kelowna, B.C.; Karl K. Pump, Vancouver; Harold H. Smythe, Nelson, B.C.

Vancouver—Roger G. Knipe, Vancouver; George H. McKee, Courtenay, B.C.

Toronto—Ross Jung, Victoria; Robert S. Clark, New Westminster.

Winnipeg—Thomas J. Ho, Vancouver; Robert T. Watkins, Kimberley.

Labor Pool In Okanagan

PENTICTON, B.C. (CP)—Formation of an Okanagan Valley labor pool to meet the labor demand for harvesting and packing the 1942 fruit crop without use of Japanese labor has been recommended to the Unemployment Insurance Commission by the Penticton civic labor committee.

Such action was urged by P. Frank Erout, chairman of the local labor committee, in an interview here with T. Parkinson, British Columbia regional director of the government commission, who visited Penticton.

Under present orders-in-council, employees engaged in agriculture are not permitted to enter restricted industries, including those of fruit packing houses and canneries. The objective of the proposed labor pool would be to effect the necessary flexible movement of labor between agriculture and industry directly associated with it.

In his interview with the Unemployment Insurance Commission regional director, Erout suggested that fruit production, packing, hauling and shipping be classed as one industry as far as labor rulings are concerned because of their close association and interdependence.

Erout reported that Parkinson was "very sympathetic and receptive" to the plan and had suggested the recommendation be sent immediately to officials in Ottawa for consideration.

SWING SYSTEM

Erout said that to facilitate the scheme, provision would have to be made to permit an agricultural worker to enter the packing or canning industry when needed and to return to agricultural work during the peak of harvesting operations in the orchards.

Illustrating the fluctuating needs of concentration labor in different Okanagan Valley centres throughout the season, he pointed out that by the time a certain crop is harvested in the southern Okanagan district, the same fruit would be ready for picking in the more northerly areas.

Co-ordination of the pool could be handled by the government unemployment insurance claims and placement offices at Penticton and Kelowna, in co-operation with the B.C. Fruit Growers' Association, said Mr. Erout.

Hugh Gray, 2640 Forbes Street, reported to police at 12:45 Sunday morning, a saxophone, valued at \$125, had been stolen from his car while parked on Blanshard Street outside the Kent Cafe.

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D. M. Duggan, M.L.A., Of Edmonton Dies

EDMONTON (CP)—David Milwyn Duggan, 63, independent member of the Alberta Legislature for Edmonton and former leader of the Conservative Party in the province, died in a hospital here Monday following a lingering illness.

Born in Bullth, Wales, of Welsh and Scottish parents, Mr. Duggan came to Canada in 1905. He was mayor of Edmonton in 1921, 1922 and 1923.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Miss Grace Duggan, of the Classics Department at the University of Alberta, and Mrs. Edward Hitchin; two sons, Kenneth, of this city, and Eric, with the R.C.A.F. at Winnipeg.

A brother, W. C. Duggan of Kelowna, B.C., died in 1934.

The death of Mr. Duggan left the standing in the Alberta Legislature: 36 Social Crediters; 16 Independents, 3 Liberals, one Labor and one vacancy—a total of 57.

'Don't Try Prohibition' Warns Dr. Inkster

VANCOUVER (CP)—A Toronto churchman Monday advocated complete government control of liquor sales and manufacture instead of prohibition.

Speaking to members of the Vancouver Ministerial Association, Rev. J. G. Inkster, formerly of Victoria, said: "Don't try prohibition; it will never go."

Dr. Elbert Paul of Vancouver said that "one charge can be levelled against the church and temperance people, that while they are quick to pick out the defects in a Liquor Act, they are not so quick to produce a sane, balanced alternative."

Legion Head Protests Men on Streets

OTTAWA (CP)—J. Alex Walker of Calgary, Dominion president of the Canadian Legion, told a general meeting of the Legion's Ottawa branch "there are far too many able-bodied young men walking the streets."

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Madagascar

WHEN WE SAID IN THESE COLUMNS nearly two weeks ago that a good deal could happen to blast any schemes the enemy may have for the future of Madagascar we had noted that the Union of South Africa had severed diplomatic relations with the Vichy government of France—the first definite and official action to be taken by a member of the United Nations against the puppet structure of Quisling Laval. What all the peoples of the anti-Axis countries had hoped for is now well on the way to being an accomplished fact. British commandos have begun the occupation of this vital Indian Ocean stronghold which still is a part of the French Empire and will so remain after it has served its purpose.

This new and encouraging development is not only important for its strategic implications—significant as a glance at the map proves them to be—but also for the psychological effect it is bound to have on the coalition fighting the totalitarians. It is a serious blow to the enemy. And it is appropriate that the announcement of this latest "invasion" should have come at a time when Quisling Laval was lavishly winning and dining two Japanese admirals in Vichy. Nippon's Nomura and Abe were obviously there to induce the most-hated man in France to afford them in Madagascar "accommodation" similar to that which the Petain regime granted Tokyo in French Indo-China—a concession, of course, which simplified enormously the aggressor's drive down the Malayan Peninsula. Small wonder the two visitors took their stay short and left by air for Berlin with the news of the latest commando exploit ringing in their ears.

This new trick which the United Nations have won, however, is significant beyond its valuable strategic and psychological considerations. It represents a challenge to Laval which may force the final showdown between him and Hitler. It is tantamount to a declaration on the part of Great Britain and the United States that they no longer propose to deal with Vichy with kid gloves. It would seem that the "chief of the government" must now decide what he intends to do with the French fleet and those strategic bases on the northern and west African coastline which Germany would give a great deal to possess—provided, of course, he can persuade Admiral Darlan to surrender some of his authority as chief of all the armed forces of his country.

Conflict may well occur here. Darlan is as vain as Laval is traitorous; and it was Marshal Petain—who hates Hitler's Quisling as the devil hates holy water—who elevated the Admiral to a position on which he for years had set his heart and mind. Nor is it to be supposed that Darlan, now he is head of the navy, the army and the air forces of his country, will lightly ignore the wave of indignation and revolt that is assuming substantial proportions throughout France. The moment he manifests an inclination to take instructions from Berlin which would prove to his compatriots that he condones the mass murders of which the world is hearing from day to day, he will have to prepare himself for the same fate which assuredly awaits the archpriest of Nazi collaboration. Not that the people of the United Nations will expect at this late stage much advantage from an open break between the two ruling factions in present-day France. It is nevertheless patent that the Admiral fears popular wrath much more than does Laval.

Be this as it may, the main advantage now accruing to the United Nations lies in their possession of a strip of territory nearly a thousand miles in length and an average breadth of 250 miles—only an hour's bombing range from the continental mainland of Africa—and situated athwart the main supply line to India and the Middle East. The initial blow, of course, falls on Japan. What the Laval government in Vichy proposes to do about it is another matter altogether. But before the war is much older we may learn from Berlin's reaction how much pressure Hitler feels like exerting on his French Gauleiter—or, by some other process, how the Fuehrer regards Japan's conquests to date.

Fine Work, Mr. Lash.

THROUGH THE ENTERPRISE OF ITS highly-efficient director, Mr. G. H. Lash, the Office of Public Information—in collaboration with the CBC and the Women's Committee on International Relations—has induced the Columbia Broadcasting Corporation to stage Mr. George Denny's famous "Town Meeting of the Air" at Ottawa next Thursday evening. The question to be debated will be "How can Canada and the United States co-operate further to win the war?" Mr. Brooke Claxton, K.C., M.P., and Mrs. Phyllis Turner, administrator of Oils and Fats, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, will speak for this country and Mr. C. K. Kindelberger, research economist for the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve Association, Washington, D.C., and either the Governor of Colorado or the Governor of Minnesota will present our neighbor's case.

Thousands of Victorians, of course, have followed the debates of the "Town Meeting of the Air" for years, and no doubt many

still do, despite the unfortunate change of the hour of transmission for western listeners—from 6.30 to 10 p.m. The importance and significance of next Thursday's broadcast, however, lies in the fact that the proceedings will be sent over the air through no fewer than 83 American stations with an invisible audience estimated at between 8,000,000 and 10,000,000. This does not include those thousands of listeners who will receive the program by way of short-wave facilities. The point here is that so many of our good friends in the United States will get an intimate account of what the two neighbors are doing in cordial collaboration and some idea of what is possible in the trying days ahead.

Much has been said and written—some of it, perhaps, without due regard for all the circumstances—about the lack of adequate publicity in the United States for what Canada has done in the war to date, what she is doing, and the vital part she will play in the immediate future. By no stretch of the imagination can this fault, if fault there has been, be laid at the door of the Director of Public Information. Mr. Lash is an experienced newspaperman and rightly described as a publicity expert. But what the trained craftsman considers good advertising may seem of little importance or interest to the cabinet minister; and the latter is the final arbiter. All this notwithstanding, however, Mr. Lash's work, officially circumscribed as it often may be, has been excellent. By bringing next Thursday's "Town Meeting of the Air" to Canada he has scored a notable triumph in international publicity.

And Now Coal!

COAL DISTRIBUTORS ARE FACED with the problem of supplying more coal with fewer men to do it. Our coal resources in the west are large, but labor is leaving the coal industry to go to the shipyards. Jute sacks are not to be obtained. More coal than ever will be needed as a result of the order compelling hotels, apartment houses, commercial buildings and other large consumers to change at once from oil to coal. Locally, as Mr. A. M. Kirk reported for the trade to the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, dealers are nearly two months behind orders in their deliveries. Motorists are already being advised when passing the coal yards to pick up a couple of sacks of fuel to take home. If this is the situation with the warm weather season at hand, what must consumers be prepared for next autumn and winter? The dealers say they will no longer be able to carry coal into basements, but will merely dump it like wood by the load is now dumped on the street and left to the buyer to take in. The oil controller last month in ordering British Columbia fuel oil consumers to change to coal, said he could assure them a supply of coal this winter, "even if we have to get the army to mine and deliver it." The government is now advising the public by paid advertisements to stock up with fuel. It looks as if the government will have to do more than print advertisements if chaos in the fuel trade and unnecessary suffering on the part of many consumers are to be averted next winter. Fortunately, with the difficulties showing up this early in the year, there will be time for the government to take effective steps before we reach the critical months.

Laval's Collaboration

FIFTY-FIVE ADDITIONAL FRENCH hostages have been murdered by the Germans in Lille in reprisal for the death of two Nazi soldiers. According to advices reaching New York, the latest mass executions have brought the total number of Frenchmen who have faced firing squads in recent months to 777, a figure which Vichy itself announces is far from complete.

Small wonder Pierre Laval moves about with a small army of police guards. If this is the type of collaboration with the Nazis he is trying to sell to the French people, how long will it be before another patriot takes a pot shot at him, this time with better aim than on the former occasion? Surely there are few cases in history which provide a parallel to this man's traitorous and brutal conduct.

The cheapest alarm clocks really are the best. Maybe they won't ring.

Neighbors are people who come over when you are sick and tell you how sick they used to be.

FOOLISH WAR TALK

From Ottawa Journal
Australia's Army Minister Francis Forde comes out with the statement that "the war has turned in our favor" and that the "approaching Allied offensive" against the Axis will be "a staggering spectacle."

There must be millions of people in Allied countries to wish that Mr. Francis Forde could be forced to do his job and hold his tongue. Because through more than two years of war, through a succession of defeats and retreats, there has been too much of his sort of talk; talk that has made us seem foolish and that generally has done us no good.

The war hasn't turned in our favor. On the contrary, the war is more critical today than it has been at any time since Dunkerque; so critical that the United Nations are in a desperate race against time. Allied war leaders who don't realize that truth, or who, realizing it, try to conceal it or minimize it, are not fit to be war leaders.

Bruce Hutchison

OTTAWA.

NODS

MR. KING, LIKE HOMER, sometimes nods. He nodded badly in the plebiscite campaign and failed to educate Quebec. But perhaps the thing goes deeper than that. One has a theory that for all his brilliance as a statesman Mr. King does not understand modern propaganda.

Mr. King was raised in the Edwardian school of politics, which was an outgrowth of the Victorian. It was a good school and produced the highest forms of parliamentary government. But it did not work with modern tools of mass education. It worked with speeches in Parliament, with motions, resolutions, official records. A statesman desiring to educate the public in a great political issue would enter Parliament and there deliver a prepared oration; or, if Parliament were not sitting, he would have himself invited to a sufficiently respectable banquet and there emit his opinions.

In those days such a technique was sufficient. The world moved slowly then. Few ideas were in circulation and nobody was engaged in the business of molding opinion for his own purposes. Today we live in a much more noisy world, in a world teeming with ideas, confused with current and counter-current of thought. We do not live in the static atmosphere of 40 or even 20 years ago. We live in a revolution. We live in an airplane traveling no one knows where at a remarkable speed.

NEW TECHNIQUE

WE LIVE ALSO in a world where public education has got out of the hands of the politician and into the hands of men who have made a business of molding the public mind. Hitler, a product of this age, early discovered the new technique and used it with the same skill which he applied to military weapons. By a monstrous distortion of the educational process he developed propaganda.

In lesser degree propaganda is used elsewhere. It is used in Canada, generally for good purposes, often for bad. In Quebec Mr. King met propaganda at its best or worst. The opponents of conscription waged a clever and deadly campaign, which Mr. King cannot have foreseen. Certainly he was not prepared to counteract it. Even if he had tried in the last few weeks he would have been too late. Mr. King should have started a year ago at least.

NO WEAPON

MR. KING DISTRUSTS such methods, being bred in a different school. He has a rare genius of timing in his own technique, in the manoeuvre of politics, in real statecraft. He has stubbornly resisted, ever since the beginning of the war, all attempts to set up in Canada a proper information service, a medium of propaganda for war purposes. When the great test came in Quebec he had no adequate weapon to meet it. He had no answer but a few speeches to the cunning, colorful mass appeal of the anti-conscriptionists.

The information service of the country should have been under the direction of one of the ablest men in the government. It should have been a major department in a country as divided as this by race and creed. Instead, it was always a lonely orphan, neglected and scorned. Mr. King seems never to have understood its importance, seems to have relied always on his own talent for managing things at the top. That talent was not enough, all his appeals were not enough, all his skillful manoeuvres were not enough to stem the tide in Quebec.

The lesson is plain enough. Mr. King must accept the new technique. The speech, the public appearance, the official declaration is not enough. It is necessary in this age to come down off the heights and argue with the man on the pavement, in his own language.

PROGRESS IN INDIAN EDUCATION

Indian education in Canada is making good progress, according to the Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines and Resources, which reports that enrolments in Indian schools during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1941, totaled 17,425 pupils. In Indian residential schools had 8,774 pupils enrolled, and the Indian day schools were attended by 8,651 students. The percentage of attendance maintained by the Indian children was 82.37, indicating the favorable manner in which the Indians are responding to the efforts being made to advance them to a position of independence and self-support.

An encouraging feature of the department's work this year was the headway made in the development of an educational program designed to meet the needs of an Indian population scattered over nine provinces, and the Yukon and Northwest Territories. This Indian population includes the highly skilled steel workers of Caughnawaga, Quebec, the fishing and trapping Indians of the northern sections of the Dominion and the Pacific coast, and the Indians engaged in extensive farming operations in Ontario and the prairie provinces.

The closer a man is the more distant his friends are.

Many a husband has turned over a new leaf because his wife can read him like a book.

A girl's school in New York State has a pistol range. Wonder if it comes under the head of domestic science?

Parallel Thoughts

But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in silence.—1 Timothy 2:12

The dignity of woman consists in being unknown to the world. Her glory is the esteem of her husband; her pleasure the happiness of her family.—Rousseau

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"My mother is just recovering from an operation—I suppose it would go pretty hard with her if I didn't pass the sixth grade!"

Bird Migration Parable Of Hemisphere Unity

The mystery of the migrating birds... why thousands leave the north each year to make the long flight south... forms the theme of "High Over the Borders," the current issue of the National Film Board's series, "Canada Carries On." Made in collaboration with the United States government and naturalists throughout the Americas, the film teaches the lesson of hemisphere unity in a bitterly divided world.

High over the borders of Canada and the 21 American republics fly the birds of the western hemisphere. Travelers without passports, they belong not to one nation but to all. To their strong wings a thousand miles are nothing, for them frontiers do not exist. The wild birds belong to all those who watch their graceful flight and hear their call.

GOOSE AND SWALLOWS

Who can claim exclusive ownership to the Canada Goose? The geese may learn to swim in Canadian waters but one fall day they rise from the lakes and soon the bleak Laurentian Shields slip back beneath their flight. At the Ottawa River the flock is thick with new families who have joined it on the way. In hundreds they fly over the farmlands of Ohio to find the marshes of North Carolina, the waters of Chesapeake Bay. Overnight the Canada Goose has become the native of another country.

The barnswallows leave the north, travel on for weeks through Texas and Mexico, pass over the ranges of Honduras and Nicaragua, the palms of Panama. They may rest for a night along the Amazon, neighbors of a family of sandpipers that summered in Greenland. But the barnswallow and the Canada Goose are only two of the more than two hundred species of birds which migrate between North and South America in autumn and spring.

HUMMINGBIRDS' 500-MILE HOP

Most remarkable of all is the ruby-throated hummingbird, whose wing strokes are only visible with the help of super-speed photography. The hummingbird weighs less than an ounce, measures three and a half inches from stem to stern. It builds its nest in the eastern half of North America, but each fall young and old gather on the western shores of Florida to undertake the journey to Yucatan.

In one night the hummingbird crosses the gulf of Mexico, a non-stop blind flight of 500 miles accomplished in less than 10 hours.

But not all birds follow these paths. Some, like the blackbird and the grackle only cross a few states. The Canada Jay merely moves to a nearby valley in the fall. Shore birds, the sandpipers follow the coastlines. Seagulls follow the gannets come ashore only once a year to lay their eggs and raise their young.

BAFFLING WHY

Protection of wild life is international. Through field centres of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service where wild birds are caught and banded, it has been discovered that the birds of the western hemisphere follow four broad paths of flight—the central Atlantic, Mississippi, and Pacific flyways. More than 30,000 letters are received

CANADA IN THE ATLANTIC BATTLE

From Ottawa Citizen

Canadian naval activities have been well described in a recent series of CBC broadcasts. In picture magazine form, too, the director of public information has published a remarkably fine book of Canadian naval photographs.

No camera is ever able to bring out the violence and fury of an Atlantic gale, but pictures of ice conditions on the ships as they operate in winter along the northern sea lanes are well headed, "Keep on knitting, Girls!" There can never be too much Arctic clothing for the Canadian lads on winter patrol work.

Corvettes and destroyers on convoy service are described. Especially in convoy escort, the Canadian navy's partnership with the British and United States navies is a great contribution. Canada's part in the battle of the Atlantic cannot be told in full until the enemy has been finally defeated, but there is much to be said for letting the Canadian people know more about the endurance and fortitude of the men on active service through this long ceaseless battle.

SAVINGS MUST INCREASE

From Winnipeg Free Press

For the success of Canada's war effort, it is absolutely necessary that the free spending by the people should stop, that our high standard of living should be abandoned till the great struggle is over, and that the people of all classes should support the financing of the war by saving all they can and purchasing war bonds, war saving certificates or stamps. It is, of course, not only a matter of war finance but more of diverting the materials and labor now used too largely for non-essential, civilian goods, to the vitally necessary production of equipment for the fighting forces of Canada and our allies.

And the success of the price and wage ceiling policy in preventing inflation depends on reducing the great purchasing power of the people. While that pressure remains, the danger of price control breaking down, of inflation coming with all its disastrous, chaotic effects, is surely in the offing.

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From Toronto Star

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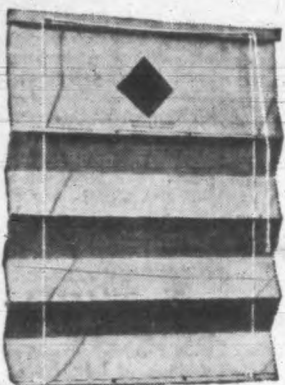
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(Victoria Times, April 29.)

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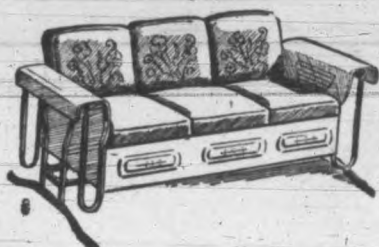
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The social meeting of Victoria Purple Star Lodge No. 104 will be held Wednesday at 7.30, after which members will do war work under the convenship of Mrs. L. Barnes. Members are asked to bring refreshments.

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Lauds Pioneer Women in Canada

Canadian women's remarkable achievements today are a reflection on their distinguished past, Miss Violet Wilson told members of the Overseas League at a meeting Monday afternoon in the lower lounge of the Empress Hotel.

Delving into this country's early history, Miss Wilson cited examples of heroism among pioneer women who had set splendid examples for Canadian women throughout the years. Outstanding were Marie Herbert, first white woman in Canada; Madeleine de Vercheres, born in Canada in 1678, who, when 14 years old and with the help of her two small brothers, held a fort outside Quebec from hostile Indians for eight days; and Laura Secord, whose courageous actions in carrying messages through the enemy lines saved Lieut. Fitzgibbon in the battle for Queenstown. Miss Wilson also lauded the stamina of the United Empire Loyalists.

Sir Robert Holland presided, in the absence of the president, Arthur L. Darrell, who is ill. Lady Burdon moved a vote of thanks to Miss Wilson, who spoke in place of Mrs. Nellie McClung, who unfortunately was also ill.

Mrs. A. G. McDonald, treasurer, noted that \$837.42 had been collected since January and four tons of clothing sent overseas last month, bringing the total shipments since Dunkerque to over 28 tons.

Mrs. A. L. Darrell reported that 163 knitted articles had been dispatched overseas, the women's auxiliaries of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and the Cathedral contributing to this total. Mrs. McDonald closed the meeting with the reading of "A Voice from England Speaks," a dramatic poem by W. Gwyn-Jeffrey, sent in by Mrs. McClung.

Next meeting will be June 1.

Chapter Plans Tea On Hospital Day

The Florence Nightingale Chapter I.O.D.E. will hold its annual Hospital Day tea at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Tuesday, May 12. Plans to this end were made at the meeting of the chapter held Monday afternoon, Mrs. F. W. Baylis, first vice-regent, presiding.

Mrs. H. Catterall will convene the general arrangements, Mrs. George Lillie, decorations; Mrs. G. Schade, contests; and Mrs. Ripley, chicken dinner. Mrs. St. Clair Kitching will have charge of a book shower at the tea in aid of the patients in the pavilion. Mrs. W. R. Roskelley will have charge of the musical program, in which Mrs. Marjorie Goodwin will sing; Edith McGill will play violin solos; Barbara Graves, Marilyn Ferguson, Marlene Graves, Baby Norma Graves and Ilace Roskelley will dance.

The chapter endorsed the National chapter's resolution that the principal of the National Endowment Fund be made available for use in case of a grave national emergency. The members also endorsed the by-law that war service conveners be made members of their chapter's committee. Disappointment was expressed that the order in British Columbia did not receive the full amount allotted them by the National War Services Drive.

Mrs. T. Lumsden reported \$25.10 worth of comforts made for the services and \$17.43 for bombed-out civilians. An appeal was made for Indian socks; \$3 a month was voted to the Municipal Chapter war work expenses. A letter of thanks was received for bed lamps sent to the Gordon Head Military Hospital and another lamp will be forwarded. Mrs. R. J. Sprott, provincial president, was named the chapter's delegate to the national annual meeting. Mrs. L. A. Lucas was appointed liaison officer between the chapter and the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Medical Corps W.A. Tag Day May 16

Mrs. J. D. Hunter and Mrs. Allan Fraser were appointed general conveners of the tag day to be held by the Women's Auxiliary of the R.C.A.M.C. (M.D. 11) May 16 in aid of funds for providing comforts for personnel overseas. Details of the drive were completed at a business meeting held last week at the Y.W.C.A. with Mrs. C. A. Watson, president, in the chair. All taggers are asked to report with their boxes to headquarters, Hart and Orme Ltd., 712 View Street, instead of relieving each other at tagging corners.

The Gorge Unit of the Red Cross will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 in the Gorge Presbyterian Hall, Tillicum Road.



MRS. JOHN KELLY, and her little daughter, Joan, of 220 Irving Road, who left today for Debert, N.S., to spend the next few months with her husband, Capt. John Kelly, R.C.A.M.C.

Social and Personal

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward returned to Government House this morning from Vancouver, where they spent the week-end. Their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Woodward, preceded them home Monday.

Sub-Lieut. W. D. Marshall and Mrs. Marshall, Victoria, are spending a short holiday in Vancouver, guests at Sylvia Court.

Mrs. J. L. Mara, Hampshire Road, and her daughter, Miss Denise Mara, went over to Vancouver today to spend a few days.

Mrs. C. F. Armstrong of York Place was a week-end guest of Hon. E. W. Hamber and Mrs. Hamber at their ranch, "Minnehada."

Mr. and Mrs. P. Deane Sills of Langham Court, spent the week-end in Vancouver and while there attended the monthly dance at Jericho Golf Club.

Brev. F. H. Brewin and Mrs. Brewin of Port Hope, Ont., who have been spending the winter in Victoria, resident at the Empress Hotel, have left for their home in Ontario.

Mrs. F. W. Hartley, Monterey Avenue, will leave tomorrow for Vancouver to spend several days as the guest of Mrs. A. D. McRae, "Hycroft," Shaughnessy Heights.

Mrs. A. H. Douglas of Vancouver arrived Monday afternoon to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Lieutenant and Mrs. R. A. C. Douglas, Elford Street. She will return to her home on the mainland over the week-end.

A no-hostess May Day bridge was held Friday afternoon at the Brentwood Women's Institute Hall. The room was attractive with spring flowers, and guests were given small colonial corsets. The prizes were won by Mrs. G. Williams, Mrs. Velicott and Mrs. Anderson, special prize, Mrs. T. B. Rice. The proceeds will go to the Solarium.



Sgt. John C. Smith, R.C.A., and his bride, the former Agnes Smith Boyd, who were married at Oak Bay United Church last month.

Weddings

WOOD-McINTYRE

In the chapel at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning at 9.30, Rev. Father C. Albury united in marriage Isabel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McIntyre of Kamloops, and Mr. James Wood, youngest son of Mrs. G. Wood, 1035 Fairfield Road, and the late Mr. Wood.

The bride was given in marriage by her aunt, Mrs. Nora Muddle of Marigold and wore a turquoise blue ensemble with white accessories. Her hat, covered with white flowers was sheathed with a tulle veil and she wore a corsage bouquet of pale pink sweet peas and lily of the valley.

She was attended by Miss Gertrude Rigby, who wore a grey ensemble with navy and white accessories and a corsage bouquet of yellow rosebuds. Mr. R. Welckey was best man.

The bride, who is a graduate nurse of the 1942 Class of St. Joseph's Hospital, was honored by the graduates of her class, who were present at the service and sang the hymns, accompanied at the organ by Miss Mary Fuoco. The bride, Miss Rigby, and Miss Fuoco, are graduates of St. Ann's Academy, Kamloops.

The bride and bridegroom left this afternoon for the mainland on their way to Kamloops to visit the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McIntyre.

FOLKARD-McKAY

A Victoria girl was the bride at a wedding in Calgary Saturday evening at 8, when Agnes Edna, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil McKay, Happy Valley, V.I., and James R. Folkard, R.C.N.V.R. They joined the coterie of Victorians now resident in the eastern port, among whom are: Sub-Lieut. and Mrs. Peter Jones and Sub-Lieut. Philip Cook, who is convalescing after a recent operation.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Chudy was christened at the Church of Our Lord by Rev. E. V. Bird. The baby was named Barbara Rose, and wore the christening robe of her mother. Mr. A. D. Hunt, uncle of the baby, was godfather, and Miss Kaye Boyles was godmother.

After the ceremony a few guests were entertained at tea at the home of the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Hunt, 1031 Richardson Street.

Mrs. Vera Finlay entertained at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. Wittcomb, 1439 Pembroke Street, at a linen shower in honor of Miss Jane Taylor, whose marriage to Mr. Kenneth Munn will take place May 16. She was presented with a corsage of carnations and the gifts were concealed beneath a miniature bride. The evening was spent in playing games and music, prizes being awarded. A buffet supper was served. The invited guests were: Mesdames H. Couke, G. Fee, E. Jackson, V. Smith, S. Harris, E. Genis, G. MacKinnon, W. Janowsky, G. West, J. Wittcomb, Misses J. Taylor, Jean Wittcomb and A. Adams.

Miss Helen Dingwall Cameron and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Cameron, Avebury Avenue, returned home Sunday from Abbotsford, B.C., where the former has been teaching school for nearly two years. Prior to her departure, Miss Cameron, who is to be married shortly to Sgt. Observer William Fulton, R.C.A.F., was presented with a Royal Albert tea service and a corsage bouquet of roses and lilies by her associates on the staff of the Abbotsford school and the teachers of the nearby rural schools. The presentation was made at a party held at the home of Mrs. M. C. Switzer, with about 24 guests, including Mrs. Cameron, present.

GREEN-VEY

Mr. and Mrs. F. Vey, 1744 Coronation Avenue, announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Jean Ross Gordon, to Stoker

Petty Officer Alex James Green, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander Green, 1016 Mason Street. The ceremony took place in the manse of First United Church, Friday, May 1, Rev. H. A. McLeod officiating.

KNOWLES-COMER

At St. Mark's Church, Cloverdale, on Friday evening at 8.30, Rev. O. L. Jull united in marriage Margaret, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Comer, 3831 Saanich Road, and Private Richard Knowles, R.C.A., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knowles, 920 Dunsuir Road.

Lilacs and narcissi made an attractive setting in the church as the bride came down the aisle on the arm of her father. She wore a graceful floor-length white gown with satin bodice and full sheer skirt. Her fingertip veil fell from a coronet of orange blossoms, and in her white-gloved hand she carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses, white lilacs and white sweet peas showered with lily of the valley. An organist was in attendance and during the signing of the register played "I Love You Truly."

Mrs. Gordon Maycock was her sister's matron of honor, wearing a long turquoise blue gown of taffeta with a wreath of flowers in her hair and carrying a bouquet of pink snapdragons, blue iris and mauve stocks. Miss Ethel Comer, another sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, in a long rose sheer gown, her flower wreath and bouquet being similar to that of Mrs. Maycock. Mr. Ralph Comer was best man and the ushers were Messrs. Teddy Hutchinson and Arthur Knowles, brother of the groom.

For the reception afterwards at the Royal Bank Hall, Cook Street, Mrs. Comer received her guests in a black ensemble with touches of white, and Mrs. Knowles was also in black and white, both having corsages of gardenias and mauve sweet peas. Apple blossom, lilacs and narcissi decorated the hall, and on the lace-covered bride's table was a three-tiered cake made by the groom's mother, flanked by four silver vases of pink and white carnations.

After a short honeymoon, Private and Mrs. Knowles will live on Bay Street, Victoria.

Engagements

JACKSON-LEVY

Mrs. Thos. E. Levy, Vancouver, announces the engagement of her only daughter, Beryl Louise Ernestine, to Mr. William Arthur Jackson, son of Mr. J. T. Jackson of Victoria and the late Mrs. Jackson. The wedding will take place quietly in Vancouver, May 23.

C.G.I.T. Notes

Victoria Leaders' Council will meet Wednesday night at 8 in the First United Church. Misses Marion Stevenson, June Thompson and Mrs. Varcoe will be in charge.

Decorated Tables Realizes \$198

The sum of \$198.32 was realized at the decorated table display given last week at the Empress Hotel under the auspices of the Junior Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital. It was reported by Mrs. R. B. Wilson, convener, at the monthly meeting of the auxiliary in the nurses' home Monday afternoon. Of this total the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club receive \$32.60 for the Bay Wigley Memorial Fund, they having been the original sponsors of the show. Mrs. W. B. Wilson, auxiliary president, was in the chair.

Mrs. Harold Husband moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Wilson for her work in connection with the show and members of the committee were warmly thanked for their co-operation. Mrs. H. Martin was named convener of the blood bank, replacing Mrs. B. L. Newton, who has left for Montreal. It was suggested that for the convenience of the public, and in order to speed up response to appeals, a bank be established in the centre of town. It was also suggested a mobile unit be taken to Saanich for donors in that locality.

Reports were read by committee conveners. Mrs. Ronald Newell, vocational, stated the next meeting to be held at the home of Miss Agnes Hood, May 10; attractive flower garden aprons would soon be completed and ready for sale; the sum of \$11.50 was made at the kitchen garden stall at the flower display. Mrs. H. McE. Young thanked the press for their co-operation. Mrs. J. A. Burchett reported for poster work, and Mrs. G. H. Simons for the Thrift Shop. Mrs. E. Goodall, bandages, reported a total of 7,872 pieces completed last month. Mrs. Jack Gray consented to convene the bandaging committee until June when a new convener would be appointed. Mrs. R. H. Green, knitting, reported four meetings held with an average attendance of 10. Next meeting will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. McKinnon, Wilmut Place.

In her social service report, Miss McBride stated that 10 home visits had been made during the month; boarding home care had been arranged for five, transportation provided for eight, and the usual large number of hospital visits made.

Mrs. J. Copeman, diets, reported two cases carried on and one dismissed. Nominations were received preparatory to the election of officers at the annual meeting in June.

David Humphreys, son of J. Humphreys, dental surgeon, London, and nephew of Henry Humphreys, well-known in Duncan and Victoria, was invested by the King, March 28 at Buckingham Palace with the Order of the D.F.C. He had made 19 flights over different parts of Germany, discharging his bombs and brought down two German bombing planes which endeavored to interrupt him. His plane, though damaged, he was able to bring home safely.

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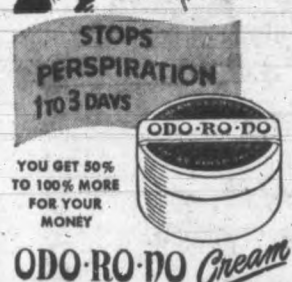
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Mrs. Whitney Leaves \$2,500,000 for Art

NEW YORK (AP)—Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, the late sculptress and one of the United States' wealthiest women, left a cash bequest of \$2,500,000 to the Whitney Museum of Art which she founded in 1931. Her will was filed for probate Monday in surrogate's court.

The will stated the entire residue of the estate had been left for charity in a trust to be administered by her three children, Major Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, board chairman of Pan-American Airways, and Mrs. Barklie McKee Henry of New York and Mrs. G. MacCulloch Miller of New York and Aiken, South Carolina.

On her husband's death in 1930, Mrs. Whitney and the three children inherited an estimated \$100,000,000.

One of the two pearl necklaces which Mrs. Whitney said in her will that she "almost always wore" was left to her niece, Gloria Vanderbilt, now Mrs. Pat Di Cicco. In addition, Mrs. Di Cicco received a collection of trophies and other mementoes of her father, the late Reginald Vanderbilt.

Solarium Tag Day Nets \$1,095

The gratifying sum of \$1,095 was realized by the Solarium Junior League from the tag day held Saturday to raise funds for the Queen Alexandra Solarium. It was reported by Miss Audrey Sturrock, convener, at a meeting of the league Monday night in the Pemberton Building. Miss Barbara Kennedy, the president, was in the chair.

The committee wishes to express its sincere thanks to the public who contributed so generously to this worthy cause, and to the many school children who acted as taggers.

Although a final report is not yet available on the "April Shower of Dimes," Mrs. R. D. McCulloch, convener, reported that approximately \$700 had been received to date and donations are still coming in.

Clubwomen's News

W.A. to the Canadian Scottish will meet Wednesday afternoon at Government House at 2.30.

Central W.C.T.U. will meet Thursday afternoon at 2.45 at the Y.W.C.A.

The R.C.A. Women's Auxiliary meet at Mrs. H. Barber's, Head Street, Wednesday evening at 8.

St. Luke's W.A. will hold a shower of useful articles for the W.A. Mission; Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 at the Parish Hall.

Christ Church Cathedral Parish Guild and Sewing Circle will meet Friday afternoon at 2.30 in the guild room. Anyone wishing to turn in or receive work is asked to do so before 2.30 or after 4. Business pertaining to the annual garden party in Bishop's Close will be discussed.

The Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon in the lecture room of the church, Mrs. M. R. Pearce, president, in the chair. The meeting opened with a short devotional period, followed by general business. Tea hostesses were Mrs. R. Armstrong, Mrs. A. Alexander and Mrs. McCannel.

Colfax Rebekah Lodge held a banquet in honor of Mrs. Marie Somerville, president of the Rebekah Assembly of B.C., recently. The tables were arranged with spring flowers, under the convener'ship of Mrs. Cave. After the banquet a candle-light ceremony was held, members of the staff taking part with green and pink candles in silver holders. The president, with her suite, was introduced by Mrs. Marie Paver, D.D.P. They were presented with corsages of roses, carnations and sweet peas. Mrs. Somerville received an electric clock, presented by Mrs. Paver, assisted by Mesdames M. Sands, Penman, Edwards, H. Graham, Gonnason and Stocker. The proceedings were presided over by Noble Grand Mrs. E. Barron, assisted by Mrs. P. O'Dill.

Bruhn Opens Tenders For B.C. Road Work

Hon. R. W. Bruhn, Minister of Public Works, today opened tenders for road work in a number of B.C. electoral districts, as follows:

Cowichan-Newcastle, Comox, Nanaimo Islands: E. R. Taylor Construction Co., \$17,296; Carter, Halls, Aldinger Ltd., \$13,745; Dawson, Wade and Co., \$19,846; General Construction Co., \$18,523.

Dewdney East, New Westminster, Vancouver-Point Grey, Yale, Kamloops: Williams and Carrothers, \$25,723; Columbia Bitulithic Co., \$28,659.

Fernie, Grand Forks-Greenwood, North Okanagan, Similkameen: General Construction Co., \$36,446; Dawson, Wade and Co., \$39,204.

A.R.P. District 6B will meet in the Scouts' Hall, Royal Oak, Wednesday night, May 6, at 8.

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Urges Citizens To Haul Own Coal

"Just as we've put on our old clothes and planted victory gardens, so we've got to put on our overalls to get our coal," W. T. Straith told directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce at a meeting Monday afternoon.

He suggested citizens call for coal a sack or two at a time on their way home from work.

A. M. Kirk pointed out the seriousness of the situation, the government having advertised that the public should stock up with fuel now, while coal dealers, losing their laborers to the shipyards, are now two months behind with their orders.

Mr. Kirk said he had had to raise wages contrary to government order to stay in business. Asked if he had put the price of coal up, he said: "No, we wouldn't think of that. We've absorbed the cost."

He said coal dealers this winter would have to start dumping coal on the street like the wood dealers unless some movement was made to relieve the situation. The situation was further complicated by a shortage of sacks, he said, it being impossible to buy new ones.

TO STUDY PROBLEM

On motion of Duncan MacBride, the directors decided a standing committee should be appointed to study local conditions as affected by the mobilization of manpower and industry for war.

"Someone said half Victoria will freeze this winter," Mr. Kirk said. "Well, it's true."

He said fuel dealers with wages fixed were unable to compete with shipyards in the labor market. The type of men available at the employment office, he said, were not capable of carrying coal.

Walter Luney declared the labor situation in Victoria was "certainly becoming serious." He said he could use 50 more men with his company if he could get them.

The directors decided to appoint another committee to study rehabilitation problems. Mr. Straith, who is a member of the provincial government rehabilitation council, said the committee should not only plan to assist soldiers but also to develop the province. He said the problem of converting Victoria war industries back into peace industries was just as great as converting peace industries into war industries.

The secretary read an announcement from the provincial deputy Minister of Labor, Adam Bell, which said May 25 would be a holiday for shops but not a compulsory holiday for factories.

The directors ordered received and filed a resolution of the Rotary Club of Prince Rupert condemning the "excessive" sale of beer in Prince Rupert.

A letter from the shipping section of the Vancouver Chamber of Commerce asking co-operation of the Victoria chamber in securing sextants and chronometers was also ordered received and filed.

Red Cross Backs Blood Banks

Major Harold Brown, chairman of the Victoria and district branch of the Canadian Red Cross, points out that one of the newer activities of the Canadian Red Cross is the organization of blood bank clinics throughout the Dominion.

Early last year, the Canadian Red Cross was asked by the Dominion government to undertake this work. The objective was to provide 2,000 donations of blood weekly. By the end of the year, this service was getting well organized and about 1,700 blood donations were being received each week.

Now for 1942 the request has come to increase this to 3,000 donations each week.

The campaign to replenish the Canadian Red Cross funds will start on May 11. Victoria will be asked to subscribe \$90,000.

Plants Must Install Own Air Raid Sirens

Operators of industrial plants and firms engaged in war production will have to provide their own alarm system for the protection of their employees, W. C. Mainwaring, chairman of the advisory council, Provincial Civilian Protection Committee, said Monday.

Mr. Mainwaring cited as typical works, sawmills and shipyards, where the noise developed in the course of their operations makes such a local alarm system necessary. Included in the list of those who should provide their own alarm system are the owners or tenants of large buildings, such as office buildings, warehouses, schools, hospitals and other structures in which the official air raid sirens may possibly not be clearly heard.

Owners may install an independent alarm system, either within or outside their buildings, to be operated by themselves on receipt of a warning from the signal siren system in the areas where such plants are located, or firms may purchase and install sirens like those used by the Provincial Civilian Protection Committee.

Mr. Mainwaring has requested all chief wardens in areas where industrial or war production plants are located to advise plant operators that the subcommittee on communications will be glad to co-operate in the setting up of a proper air raid alarm system.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—Funeral services for Mrs. Florence Evelyn Ed's, who passed away at Shawnigan Lake last Thursday, were held in St. John's Anglican Church, Cobble Hill, Sunday afternoon. Rev. E. M. Willis officiated. The hymns sung were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Rock of Ages." Interment was made in the church cemetery and the pallbearers were: H. E. Hawking, G. G. Orr, A. Layton, E. Gibson, J. Davidson, P. Cudlip. The coffin was covered with the Union Jack and members of the W.A. to the Canadian Legion, Malahat branch, dropped flowers in the grave. A bank of floral tributes bore evidence of the esteem in which the late Mrs. Ed's was held in the community.

New Industry for B.C.?

Bark of Douglas Fir May Produce Cork

Cork has such a modest way of hiding while it serves its useful purposes that, no doubt, Mr. and Mrs. Consumer haven't started to quake yet about a cork shortage.

But the shortage is here. The cork we use comes from Spain and Portugal. And right now the sea routes to those spots are no picnic. So the cork on hand is being carefully doled out.

It's used to back linoleum floor coverings. It does a hundred and one jobs, many of them on military equipment. And it stoppers bottles. It's a unique material for those jobs because it's water resistant, and it "gives."

WORK AT SEATTLE

Manufacturers have been hunting unhappily for a substitute, and now news comes from Seattle that two professors of the University of Washington forestry faculty offer an answer.

Prof. Bror L. Grondal and Dr. Frederick Wangaard have found a commercially usable cork in the bark of the Douglas fir. And the Douglas is extremely plentiful in British Columbia and the U.S. Pacific coast states.

Grondal says research men always have known the Douglas bark had cork, but the trick was

to get it out in a form that manufacturers could use.

Grondal and Wangaard set out in January to reclaim the cork. And they set themselves the extra job of doing it with machinery that is already available.

BARK GROUND UP

There are three steps to the process. First they grind chunks of the bark in a big meat chopper. That pulverizes most of the bark into a reddish powder. The cork seems to squeeze through because it's more pliable. It comes out in pieces slightly larger than one's thumbnail.

Then the mixture of cork and pulverized bark goes through a screening process—and then another pulverizing process in a revolving drum where the last vestiges of bark are pounded off the cork. The result can be pressed into sheets for the insulating jobs.

But it won't make stoppers for bottles.

However, the discovery means that this continent can keep at home millions spent each year for the Mediterranean cork. And it means new wealth for the Pacific Northwest where the biggest stands of Douglas fir exist.

of their former home onto the street.

Replying to Alderman Wills' criticism, Alderman Hawkins said the letter he had submitted to the council had not been prepared in time for presentation to the committee. He thought the City Council did the right thing in endorsing the resolution to put the department under the control of the city solicitor. A man like the solicitor was needed to handle the question.

In reference to remarks about old people being turned out of houses he said:

"We're just as good to old ladies as anyone else."

No undue advantage has been taken of the lands committee or anyone, he said.

In reply to question, F. L. Shaw, city solicitor, said of 15 five-year-old agreements for sale which had been in default, 11 had been straightened out in the last two weeks.

GIVES CHAIRMAN CREDIT

Alderman Wills said the report on the agreements for sale had come through the medium of the lands committee to which the information had been brought by Alderman Hawkins. He gave Alderman Hawkins full credit for disclosing the condition but said the trouble lay in inadequate staff in the lands department.

"What we need is another man down there," he added.

Following the clash a letter was read from the mayor appointing Alderman F. A. Willis and J. A. Worthington to the lands committee to work with Alderman Hawkins, Wills and Williams. Pressure of business necessitated the increased committee, the mayor said.

On a recommendation from the finance committee the city solicitor was given an extra \$25 a month car allowance to compensate him for the use of his car during the time he was engaged straightening out land department legal tangles.

Pearson Asks Labor For Greater Effort

B.C. faces the problem of having more work than workmen, Hon. Geo. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, said today.

Meeting this problem is going to be extremely difficult, unless everyone does their part, the minister said.

Too many workers are leaving outlying districts for Vancouver, despite the fact that in those districts important war works and construction are being carried out, said Mr. Pearson.

The minister said it is apparent too many workmen do not yet realize the importance of their work. Unless production can be maintained, he said, the whole war effort might fall by the board.

New problems for both workmen and employers are being created daily, he said, adding "these are not always easy to deal with and a great deal of tolerance must be shown on both sides if we are to achieve our purpose."

A.R.P. Activities

District 3B will meet Wednesday at 8 at the Quadra Primary School.

District 3D (Hillside) classes for roller bandaging and stretcher bearing are being held at 8 Wednesday evenings. Enrollment is still open in the courses, which have just started.

Plan Celebration On Victoria Day

Street dancing Saturday, May 23, a band concert in Beacon Hill Park, Sunday, May 24, and an A.R.P. Benefit Victory Pageant in Macdonald Park Monday evening, May 25, will mark the city's traditional celebration of Victoria Day. It was decided Monday night at a meeting of the May 24 Celebration Committee held in the City Council Chamber.

The committee, headed by Ald. W. H. Davies, drew up tentative plans for the pageant and received promises of co-operation from representatives of the navy, army and air force.

Feature of the pageant will be a realistic A.R.P. demonstration in which a house will be "bombed" from the air, a number of aircraft, searchlights and anti-aircraft guns taking part. In addition a vaudeville program will be staged by the Victoria Girls' Pipe Band and a Victory Pageant presented by schools of Victoria City, Oak Bay, Esquimalt and Saanich. Each school will send a boy and a girl representing each of the Allied nations while one girl from the six high schools will be chosen as Miss Victory attended by five princesses from the other five high schools.

The street dancing and band concert will be free, it was decided, while admission to the pageant will be 50 cents for reserved seats, 25 cents general admission and 10 cents for children. All proceeds will be devoted to the A.R.P. organizations of the four districts sponsoring the celebration.

Represented on the committee were the City Council, the Parent-Teacher Association, the Civilian Protection Committee, Victoria School Board, Esquimalt School Board and the Saskatchewan Association.

COL. NAPIER ASKS SUPPORT AT GAMES

Col. R. Ross Napier, addressing the meeting of the Vancouver Island Piping Association Saturday night, urged the association to support the Victoria Highland Games Association in their annual sporting event scheduled for July 25 at Macdonald Park.

Col. Napier who is president of the games association, explained the organization's contribution to the war effort. He said the association this year, as last year, was almost without funds because so much of its revenue had gone to the war effort.

Program of the meeting at which Capt. C. R. Wilson, president of the Piping Association was in the chair, included pipe and dance selections.

Other speakers were Hastie Cochrane of Esquimalt and Capt. McGinnis of the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Scottish.

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Tonight

- 5.00 News—KOL, CBR.
 Window of Navy—KPO.
 Music Portraits—KOMO.
 Future Patrol—KJR, KGO.
 Melody Hour—KIRO.
 Afternoon Dances—KNX.
 Ranger's Club—CJOH.
 Nickel Serenade—CJVI.
 Friendly Music—CBR at 5.05.
- 5.30 News—KJR, KGO, KNX.
 Treasury Chest—KOMO, KPO.
 Blended Rhythm—CBR.
 Dean Winslow—KIRO.
 Orphan Annie—KJR.
 Capt. Midnight—KOL.
 Trail of Truth—CKWX.
 Speed Glance—CJVI.
 Bob Garred—KIRO, KNX, 5.45.
 Elmer Davis—KIRO, KNX, 5.55.
- 6.00 Burns and Allen—KOMO, KPO.
 College Choir—KIRO.
 John and Judy—CBR.
 Sports Spotlight—CJVI.
 Melody Hour—KJR.
 Sweet Music—KOL.
 Club 600—CJOH.
 Music from Shows—CKWX.
 News—KJR, KOL at 6.15.
- 6.30 News—CKWX, CJVI, KOL.
 Fibber McGee—KOMO, KPO.
 Symphony—KJR, KGO.
 "Seven Day and Night"—CBR.
 Report to Nation—KIRO, KNX.
 News—KOL at 6.45.
- 7.00 News—KOL.
 CBC Sunday—CBR.
 "Suspense"—KIRO.
 Wayne King—CJVI.
 Jerry Seeger—CKWX.
 Don Wilson—CJOH.
 Music in the Night—KNX.
 Ned Jordan—KOL, 7.15.
 Guess What?—CKWX at 7.15.
- 7.30 Scatman Show—KOMO, KPO.
 Songs by Maxine—CKWX.
 Red Rhythm—KJR, KGO.
 Piano Music—CBR.
 Public Affairs—KIRO.
 Green Gold—CJOH.
 Southland Song—CJVI.
 News—CJOH, KNX, KIRO at 7.45.
 London Sag—CJVI at 7.45.
- 8.00 News—CBR, CKWX.
 Fred Waring—KOMO, KPO.
 Amos 'n' Andy—KIRO, KNX.
 Waltz Me—KJR, KGO.
 Dance—CJOH.
 Melody Symphony—CJVI.
 Evening Time—KJR, KGO.
 Solitaire Concert—CJVI.
 "Newbridge"—CBR at 8.15.
 Lull and Abner—KOMO, KPO, 8.15.
 Glenn Miller—KIRO, KNX, 8.15.
- 8.30 News—CJVI, CBR.
 Joanny Presents—KOMO, KPO.
 News—KOL, KIRO, KNX.
 Pro-Rec Display—CJOH.
 Information Please—KJR, KGO.
 Green Hornet—CKWX.
 Missing Heirs—KIRO, KNX.
- 9.00 News—KOL, KGO.
 Thin Man Adventures—KOMO, KPO.
 Ranch Boys—CKWX.
 Evening Interlude—KJR.
 Blue Pacific—CJOH.
 Duffy's Tavern—KNX, KIRO.
 Theatre Time—CBR.
 Harold Gelling—CJVI.
 Carol Carter—KOL at 9.15.
- 9.30 News—KJR.
 Battle of Sexes—KOMO, KPO.
 Fulton Lewis—KIRO, KNX.
 Tom Tucker's Music—KGO.
 British Sports—KOL.
 Dance Music—CKWX.
 Bob Burns—KIRO, KNX.
 "As a Matter of Fact"—CBR 9.45.
- 10.00 News—KOMO, KPO, KNX.
 Bob Garred—KIRO, KNX.
 Rhumba Revue—KGO, KJR.
 Honored Music—KIRO.
 S. American Serenade—CBR.
 News—KOL, KIRO, at 10.15.
- 10.30 News—CJVI, CBR.
 Music Cavalcade—CKWX.
 Dance—KOMO, KJR, KPO.
 Starred for Listening—KOL.
 Organ—CJOH.
 Sports Program—KNX.
- 11.00 Knox Manning (News)—KNX.
 Carol and Yen—KIRO.
 Reverses—KOMO.
 "Taskmaster"—KIRO, KIRO, CBR.
 Dance—KPO, KOL.
 This Moving World—KJR.
 Make-believe Ballroom—CKWX.
 Party Time—CJOH.
- 11.30 Dance—CBR, KPO, KOMO.
 Easy Listening—KIRO.
 News—KOL, KIRO, KNX, 11.45.
 News—CBR, KIRO, KIRO, CKWX.
 CJOH at 11.55.

Tomorrow

- 7.00 News—KGO, KOL, KOMO.
 Potpourri—KOMO.
 Dawn Busters—CKWX.
 Musical Clock—KPO.
 Victoria Salutes—CJVI.
 News—KJR at 7.15.
 News—CJOH at 7.25.
- 7.30 News—KNX, KIRO.
 Revue Roundup—KPO.
 Musical Minutes—CBR.
 Breakfast Club—KJR.
 News—KOMO, KPO, KIRO, 7.45.
- 8.00 News—CBR, CJOH, CKWX.
 Victory at Home—KIRO.
 Morning Matinee—KPO.
 Everyman's Citadel—KJR.
 Radio Parade—KOMO.
 Musical Clock—CJVI.
 News—KIRO, KOMO at 8.15.
- 8.30 News—KOL, CJVI.
 Organ—KJR.
 Breakfast Club—CJOH.
 Front Line Family—CBR.
 Valiant Lady—KIRO, KNX.
 News—CKWX at 8.45.
- 9.00 News—KOL, KJR, CBR.
 Kate Smith—KNX, KIRO.
 Bass Johnson—KOMO, KPO.
 Morning Melody—CJVI.
 Farm Talk—KOMO.
 News—KIRO, CJOH at 9.15.
 Big Sister—CBR, 9.15.
- 9.30 News—KGO.
 Collins Calling—KOMO.
 International Kitchen—KPO.
 While Reel—CBR.
 News and Music—KOL.
 Breakfast at Sardi's—KJR, KGO.
 Helen Trent—KNX.
 Morning Variety—CKWX.
- 10.00 News—KOL.
 Life Beautiful—KNX, KIRO.
 Morning Visit—KIRO.
 Betty and Bob—CJVI.
 Happy Gang—CBR at 10.15.
 Divorce Orphan—KJR, 10.15.
- 10.30 News—CJVI, KOL.
 Honeymoon Hill—KJR.
 Vic and Sade—KIRO, KNX.
 Reader's Notebook—CKWX.
 News—CJOH, KIRO at 10.45.

Tonight's Features

- 5.05—Friendly Music—CBR.
 5.30—Held's Treasure Chest—KOMO, KPO.
 6.00—Burns and Allen Show—KOMO, KPO.
 6.30—Report to the Nation; with James A. Farley—KIRO, KNX.
 6.30—Fibber McGee—KOMO, KPO.
 7.00—Bob Hope—KOMO, KPO.
 7.30—Red Skelton Show—KPO, KOMO.
 8.30—Information Please—KJR, KGO.
 9.00—Adventures of the Thin Man—KOMO, KPO.

- 11.00—British Echoes—CJVI.
 "Hail to the Chief"—KGO.
 "Light of World"—KPO, KOMO.
 "Strictly Rhythm"—CBR.
 "Bright Horizons"—KIRO, KNX.
 "The Goldbergs"—CKWX.
 "Week's Stars"—CJOH.
- 11.30—News—KIRO, KJR.
 Guiding Light—KOMO, KPO.
 Love and Learn—KIRO, KNX.
 Vic and Sade—CJOH.
 Carol Carter—KIRO.
 Dr. Susan—CJVI.
 "Music"—CJVI.
 "The Goldbergs"—KIRO, KNX, 11.45.

- 12.00—News—KOL.
 Against Storm—KPO, KOMO.
 Without Words—KIRO.
 Studio Party—CJOH.
 B.C. Farm—CBR.
 Prescott Presents—KJR.
 Voice of Romance—CJVI.
 Waltzes—CJVI.
 News—KIRO, KNX at 12.15.
- 12.30—News—KOL, CJOH, CBR, CJVI.
 Pepper Young—KOMO, KPO.
 Music for Moderns—CKWX.
 Joyce Jordan—KIRO, KNX.
 Right to Happiness—KOMO.
 KPO, 12.45.

- 1.00—News—KGO, CBR.
 Backstage Wife—KOMO, KPO.
 Stepmother—KNX, KIRO.
 Famous Vales—CJOH.
 Bill's Wax Shop—KOL.
 Gena of Melody—CKWX.
 Voice of Romance—CJVI.
 Talk—CBR at 1.15.
 Children Are People—KIRO, 1.15.
- 1.30—Lorena Jones—KOMO, KPO.
 Scouting Show—CKWX.
 News—KIRO, KIRO, KJR.
 Club Matinee—CBR, KGO, KJR.
 Golden Quartette—KIRO.
 Protective League—KNX.
 Woman's Program—CJVI.
 Booker Carter—KOL at 1.45.
 News—KIRO at 1.45.

- 2.00—News—KNX, KOL.
 Dixie Handicap—CBR.
 Melody Time—CJVI.
 Just a Memory—KJR, KGO.
 When Girl Marries—KOMO, KPO.
 Are You a Genius?—KIRO.
 Browne's Jewels—CKWX.
 Tip and Tess—CKWX.
 News—CJOH at 2.25.
- 2.30—News—KOL, KIRO.
 It's Topical—CKWX.
 Country House—KGO, KJR.
 Music Corner—CJVI.
 Mirror for Women—CBR.

- 3.00—News—KIRO, KJR.
 The Barton—KOMO.
 Life Beautiful—CJOH.
 Merry Islanders—CBR.
 Fox Show—CKWX.
 Starred for Listening—KOL.
 Wishart Campbell—CBR.
 Pepper Young—CJOH.
 Musical Jackpot—KIRO.
 Movie Review—KIRO.
 The Tenth—CKWX.
 World Today—KIRO, 3.45.
 News—CBR at 3.45.
 "Hail to Happiness"—CJOH, 3.45.
- 4.00—Fulton Lewis—KOL.
 Easy Aces—KIRO, KGO.
 Concert Modern—CJOH.
 Musical America—CBR.
 Novelty Jamore—CKWX.
 Second Mrs. Burton—KNX, KIRO.
 Tea Party—CJVI.
 Johnson Family—KOL at 4.15.

- 4.30—Guatemalan Music—CBR.
 Burdette's Lull—KIRO.
 Comes the Band—CJVI.
 Music Degeneration—KOL.
 Blighty—CKWX.
 News—CJOH at 4.45.
 Sam Haver—KOMO, KPO, 4.45.
 News—KIRO at 4.45.
- 5.00—News—KOL, CBR.
 Window of Navy—KPO.
 Flying Patrol—KJR, KGO.
 Gold Variety Show—KIRO.
 Music for Youth—CKWX.
 Ranger's Cabin—CJOH.
 Nickel Serenade—CJVI.
 Canadian Band—CBR, 5.05.

- 5.30—News—KJR, KGO, KNX.
 Twilight Concert—KPO.
 Happened in Service—KOMO.
 Talking Drums—CKWX.
 Don Winslow—KIRO.
 Today's Times—CBR.
 Novatime—CJVI.
 Orphan Annie—CJOH.
 News—KIRO, KNX at 5.45.
 Lone Ranger—CKWX at 5.45.
 By the Way—KOMO, KPO, 5.45.

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Request Council Rule on Bonus

The city finance committee, following a lengthy morning meeting, sent the civic employees' cost of living bonus issue back to the City Council without any recommendation Monday.

Prior to reception of the committee's report, the council had been informed by the employees' federation of its decision to apply for a conciliation commission on the question.

"The finance committee thought the council should accept full responsibility," said Alderman W. L. Morgan, chairman of the committee.

He submitted a notice of motion covering a bonus scheme which would limit benefits to those securing under \$2,100 a year with the proviso that no bonus should raise the annual salary past that point. That motion, he said, would be introduced next week. It would exempt from bonus payments men who have been superannuated and re-engaged on the staff.

Under the \$2,100 ceiling he proposed \$10 a month for household heads in the civic employ and \$5 a month for those not the heads of households.

To day laborers under the same ceiling he proposed a bonus of 46 cents a day to household heads and 23 cents a day to others.

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Priority Rating Asked for City

To overcome the delays caused by war conditions in delivery of supplies needed by the city, the city purchasing agent was authorized Monday by the City Council to apply for a blanket priority rating.

He expressed the opinion if such a rating were secured the goods could be moved more quickly and the inefficiency of delay relieved considerably if not eliminated.

Difficulties in securing action from Ottawa covering Victoria's request to have sanitary conditions in certain houseboats on the city's waterfront improved, were explained by R. W. Mayhew, M.P. The measure required to handle the question would have to be presented as a government bill and the government was not anxious to follow that course, Mr. Mayhew said. The condition and letter from Mr. Mayhew will be brought to the attention of the federal government resident engineer.

Improvement of sidewalk and road conditions before her home at 3143 Cedar Hill Road was sought by Ethel A. Stock in a letter in which she blames the situation there for injury to her son who was knocked down by a car.

The council approved a \$250 supplementary vote for the Victoria, Saanich beaches and parks committee on the understanding Saanich would provide one of \$150.

Another \$250 was allocated to a special committee arranging Victoria Day festivities here May 25. On Sunday, May 24, the council has been invited to a special Empire service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Requests for subdivision of single lots were referred to the city solicitor to protect the city's interests.

A record of various work done by the city health officer was ordered on the recommendation of the finance committee which reported it could not endorse an application for a salary increase for the medical health officer.

A lot on the north of Hillside, between Gosworth and Doncaster was sold for \$100.

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Palo Alto, Cal. Federal authorities will meet half the cost of sending him to the course.

The city has no funds to provide guards to prevent citizens from picking wild flowers in park areas outside the city over which Victoria holds jurisdiction, Mayor Andrew McGavin said. He admitted, however, the question might be studied with a view to action next year. Guard duty had been sought by the Society for the Preservation of Native Plants of British Columbia.

The lands committee was asked to deal with letters from War-time Housing Ltd. regarding approval of agreements whereby the city would deed to the company property for war workers houses in James Bay. No agreement has yet been reached, owing to a misunderstanding by Vancouver solicitors for the company of terms approved by the city, F. L. Shaw, city solicitor reported. He had redrafted an agreement form which was on its way to Ottawa for approval, he said.

The provincial fire marshal will be asked for advice on removal of the old Palais de Danse on Dallas Rd. which, in the opinion of Alderman Archie Willis, is now an eyesore.

The public works committee was asked to investigate means by which the city could assist the Salvage Corps of B.C. in its work. That action was taken following receipt of an apology from A. H. Pease for unauthorized criticism by a member of the corps of the city's attitude to salvage work.

CBC Is Honored

COLUMBUS, O. (CP)—The Institute for Education by Radio has cited "for unusual merit" the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's war program, "Quiet Victory," calling it the outstanding contribution of the year "for promoting the war effort."

The CBC's talk by "Eric Knight" in the series "Guest of Honor" was placed second in lecture class, just behind Cecil Brown's eyewitness account of the sinking of the Repulse, carried by the Columbia Broadcasting system.

A basket is now in our Staples Department on the Street Floor ready to receive your donation. Specially requested are sheets, pillow cases and towels.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

WHEN Dominos won the Canadian basketball championship at Montreal Saturday night two of its members realized their greatest cage ambition. Chuck and Art Chapman, two veterans of the squad, along with Jack Mottishaw, have always wanted to win the national title away from home. Chatting to Chuck before the Dominos started their long road trip, which eventually landed them in the championship final at Montreal, he remarked: "I've always wanted to win a championship on the home floor of the eastern champions. That's a far greater feat than knocking off the eastern winners in your own back yard."

Now that he has played on four championship clubs we would not be surprised to hear that Chuck has decided to hang up his togs and call it a day. The big guard, still rated as one of the finest defensive players on the continent, has enjoyed a long and colorful career, but that bugaboo of all athletes, Father Time and other interests have dimmed Chuck's enthusiasm for the game. He still gets a big kick out of playing but it takes a lot more effort and there is not the same desire to get out and put in the long hours of practice. And Chuck is not one who would want to play after he has started to slow up. But one can never tell. The big guard has been written off the books several times but the start of every season sees him out there again. Next October or November will tell the story.

Dominos should arrive home either Thursday morning or afternoon. They are certain to receive a big welcome from the local fan brigade and no doubt the boys will be the guests at a number of victory celebration affairs during the next couple of weeks. It is to be hoped the players will be presented with suitable mementos to mark their triumph.

Prekness Gossip

Favor Devil Diver

BALTIMORE (AP) — There's a striking parallel in the Prekness entry of Shut Out and Devil Diver and another pair of colts which made history in the race eight years ago, when a Kentucky Derby winner was beaten by his own stable mate.

This is not to predict that Shut Out, the Derby winner, will be whipped by his stable mate, Devil Diver, in the 52nd running of the \$50,000-added Prekness Saturday, but it is true that Greentree stable connections still feel Devil Diver is the better of the two.

Shut Out and Devil Diver are approaching the Prekness in a situation similar in some respects to that in which Mrs. L. B. Dodge Sloan's Cavalcade and High Quest came to Pimlico back in 1934.

Reach Quarters In Title Golf

Quarterfinals have been reached in the men's championship at the Uplands Golf Club with Eric Hiberson, medalist, L. J. Hiberson, F. Jeffrey and J. Savident still in the running for the title.

Semifinals will be played Sunday with the championship flight matches scheduled for 36 holes.

Results follow:

CHAMPIONSHIP
Eric Hiberson defeated R. A. Phillips, 4 and 2.
L. J. Hiberson defeated N. G. Florence, 2 up.
F. Jeffrey defeated A. Morgan, 3 and 2.
J. Savident defeated D. Fletcher, at the 19th.

FIRST FLIGHT
Ed Cuppage defeated W. Court, 3 and 2.
R. Francis defeated Fred Smith, 4 and 3.
Vic Lee defeated H. McKennie, 6 and 4.

SECOND FLIGHT
J. D. Ferguson defeated H. Pigot, 1 up.
R. Ard defeated A. L. Colman, 1 up.
J. Jeffrey defeated J. Barlow, 3 and 2.
C. F. Smith defeated W. S. Smith, 3 and 2.

THIRD FLIGHT
H. Stancombe defeated A. E. Irish, 2 up.
I. Michaelson defeated F. Heath, 3 and 2.
B. E. Peritt defeated W. Twichell, 4 and 2.
R. Williams defeated D. McKenzie, 1 up.

FOURTH FLIGHT
J. Drummond defeated E. Shadobit, 2 and 1.
R. Howard defeated G. Bell, 4 and 3.
R. Strain won by default.
E. Newcomb defeated J. B. Shaw, 1 up.

FIFTH FLIGHT
S. C. Truise defeated E. Badminton, 3 and 2.
G. O. Chanter defeated L. W. Mosler, 3 and 2.
D. Brown won by default.
D. H. Aaronson defeated S. Porter, at the 19th.

SIXTH FLIGHT
S. J. Thomson defeated R. Gardom, 4 and 2.
F. L. Christie defeated J. R. Slade, at the 19th.
W. E. Thomson defeated C. Bucking, 3 and 1.
A. N. Clarke by.

JOKERS PRACTICE

Jokers Lacrosse Club will practice tonight at the Sports Centre at 8. Equipment will be distributed.

greatest of all triumphs. In winning the championship in the east the Dominos upheld the high tradition of the western clubs and follow in the footsteps of other great British Columbia clubs such as Vancouver Province, and Vancouver Westerns. Congrats boys.

Roger Monteith comes forth with the first fishing yarn of the season. Principals in the tale are Major Murray Baird, located at Work Point Barracks, and a muskrat of unknown weight but a proven opponent on the end of a fly rod. Major Baird was a member of a party of Victorians fly fishing the upper reaches of the Cowichan River Sunday.

Finding the large pool off the Riverside Hotel to his fancy Baird was casting a dry fly into the likely-looking spots for a trout to be lurking. Looking around he noticed, much to his surprise, a large apple cutting a slow path across the river. The angler immediately tried to pull his line out of the path of the fruit, but his fly hooked into something immediately back of the apple, and the major immediately knew, by the terrific kick of water, he had hooked something with a lot of fight.

Looking closer Baird made out a large muskrat which objected strongly to letting go of its choice titbit. The rat finally opened its mouth and the apple drifted down stream and with a terrific jerk it broke the leader and swam ashore. Net result—Major Baird lost his fly and Mr. Muskrat went without his lunch.

Fishing at the river over the weekend was good. With a high barometer conditions were reported as "ideal fisherman's weather." Anglers using a dry fly had the best success and well-known Isaak Waltons such as Joe Jewkes, Arthur Pitt, Ned Tait and Dr. Norman Cook returned with well-stocked creels.

Large Swim Entry

More than 50 members of the Y.M.C.A. Swimming Club will participate in the annual closed championship gala to be held in the "Y" pool, May 13. Of the 28 events billed for the night, two will be in the form of beginners' exhibitions. Friends and relatives will have the opportunity of seeing how swimmers are taught, and the progress that has been made by the youngsters.

Swimmers of all categories will take part in the water-show, with seniors Hugh Reston, Bob Johnston, Peter Jackson and others booked to lead the action. Entries for the event are to be handed to coach Archie McKinnon at the desk of the Y.M.C.A. building by May 9.

Carpenter Bowling

Results of matches in the Victoria Carpenter Bowling League tournament follow:

Singles
J. Keating 17, R. Baldwin 16.

Doubles
C. Shumbrook and W. Hadfield 19, A. Hampton and A. Graham 27.

THURSDAY'S DRAW
Singles Final at 8
J. Keating vs. winner of A. Hampton vs. W. Grimes.

Doubles at 8
Winner of W. Stockley and J. Baron vs. A. Belcher and C. Belcher vs. H. Pearson and J. Berwick.

FRIDAY'S DRAW
Bishop Trophy Final at 8
Britannia Horseshoe vs. Britannia Buddies.

Doubles at 8
G. C. Thomas and R. Baldwin vs. A. Hampton and A. Graham.

Latest Fight Sensation



Lulu Costantino turns out to be the sweetest thing in father's candy shop. Twenty and ready, New York feather aims high.

17 Teams Enter Softball League

Seventeen clubs are definite starters and there are prospects of six more coming in before the extended deadline is reached in the local softball set-up this season. Ed Whyte, secretary of the Lower Island Softball Association, says everything is coming along smoothly, and the game of the big ball and small bat is almost a cinch to be more successful than last year.

It looks as if the women's division will be the largest. Seven teams have entered to date and it is expected 10 will be ready for the fray come the May 18 deadline.

Ten men's teams are ready for action, with the possibility of a suburban loop being formed to include teams from the R.C.A.F. and Sidney. At a meeting of the Lower Island Softball Association, Monday night, it was decided to extend the men's deadline to Thursday.

Entries received include: Senior—Royal Canadian Navy, V.L.A., Douglas Tire. B Section—Coach and Horses, Hudson's Bay and V.M.D. C Section—Northwestern Creamery, Palm Dairies, New Method Laundry and K.V.'s. Women's League—Unitys, Adverts, Mc. Mc. & Prior, New Method Laundry, Hudson's Bay, Hunt's Garage and Cardinals.

BASEBALL FINES

NEW YORK (AP) — Fines totalling \$125 were announced Monday by National Baseball League President Ford Frick as a result of incidents in the Brooklyn Dodger-St. Louis Cardinal doubleheader Sunday which saw four players and both managers expelled from the field.

Manager Leo Durocher of the Dodgers was fined \$50 for failure to leave the field after being ejected by umpire Ziggy Sears. Chat Kehn, Dodger pitcher, was fined \$25 for profanity, and Dolph Camilli and Freddy Fitzsimmons, also Dodgers, were fined \$25 each for their actions on the field.

Mrs. Dowell Captain

Mrs. Art Dowell is the new women's captain of the Colwood Golf Club, being elected to succeed Mrs. J. H. Macfarlane at the recent annual meeting of the women members.

Racing Results

JAMAICA—Horse racing results here Monday follow:

First race—Five furlongs:
John (Day) — 15.40 1 2.80 2.80
Blue Whistler (Lindberg) — 15.16 8.20
Peristat (Bull) — 15.16 8.20
Time, 1:00 5/8. Also ran: Outcome, Flying Son, Navy Blue, Equal Chance, Mad Time, Ruidel, Great Horse.

Second race—Six furlongs:
Neatman (Lindberg) — 16.56 13.80 13.80
Toll Me More (Meade) — 2.40 2.70
Batter Up (Whaler) — 4.00
Time, 1:12 5/8. Also ran: Moon Man, Lou Onell, All Whims, Bally Arnet, Company Rest, Arthur Murray.

Third race—Five furlongs:
Eric Knight (Lindberg) — 16.20 3.70 3.20
Brother Dear (Day) — 12.30 8.20
Mae Pal (Meade) — 2.30
Time, 1:12 5/8. Also ran: Mae Chic, Dennis P. Flying Indian, Recognize, Isle De Pins, Ken Advice.

Fourth race—Five furlongs:
Bussel (Baker) — 15.40 13.40 13.40
Bousquet (Bout) — 4.80 3.90
Dore Pe (Wall) — 4.00
Time, 1:00 5/8. Also ran: Famous Victor, Harvest Hand, Water Pearl, Head Of Reels, Tredy, Hidden Ace.

Fifth race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Ship's Run (Gilbert) — 14.40 12.30
Air Current (Robertson) — 2.30
Blue Ono (Cost) — 2.30
Time, 1:46 1/4. Also ran: Alcorn, Omassari (Zufelt).

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Domago (West) — 17.50 12.60 12.60
Grey Rush (Robertson) — 3.00 3.50
Time, 1:44 1/4. Also ran: Rapidmente, Gay Ono, Spilman, Seasmia.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Patrol (Day) — 17.50 12.70 12.70
Dyale (McGee) — 2.30
Strawberry (Crosby) — 2.30
Time, 1:43 3/4. Also ran: Micalton, Brother, Dabbies, Librarian, Ken's Pon, Norton Flying Legion, Commemorator II, Cortes, Joe Rogers.

Canadian Sports Shorts

Hanson No Different

By SCOTT YOUNG

TORONTO (CP) — The golden ghost of Canadian gridirons now is Private Golden Ghost. Fritz Hanson has enlisted in the Canadian (Active) Army.

The Winnipeg Blue Bomber backfield star was interviewed at Camp Shilo (near Brandon, Man.) Monday. His reaction to marching with full equipment is the same as those of 15,000,000 other soldiers—unprintable.

Born in Perham, Minn. (among his many sobriquets is Perham Pellet), Fritz had lived in Winnipeg since 1935 and considers himself for all general purposes a Canadian. So when a reporter asked why he chose to join the Canadian army instead of going

back to the United States to enlist, Hanson replied: "They don't give you tea down there."

There were no official welcome parties for Gord Drillon when he returned to Moncton, but not because any of his many friends in the Maritimes have deserted him. They figured in view of everything, he wanted it that way. . . . Some wisecracks cast aspersions on sports writers' practical knowledge of the games they cover. Harry Ornest, formerly with the Edmonton Bulletin, has improved the standing of the craft; he's covering second base for Tacoma Tigers in the Western International League. . . . Doug Bentley, the Chicago Black Hawks speedster, is back on his farm at Dellsie, Sask.

300 in 10 years, now is under 200. They also are operating without two of their mainstays, pitcher Thornton (Lefty) Lee and outfielder Taft Wright.

Lee has had a sore arm since early in spring training and Wright is in hospital recovering from a strained abdominal muscle. How soon either will be fit for service Dykes did not know.

On this basis it appears the miracle man who has kept the Sox mysteriously in the first division for five or the last six years may finally have to take his raps.

James J. Dykes, manager of the washed-out hose, is one of the persons most gravely shocked and this in itself is unusual because Dykes has been in the major leagues almost a quarter of a century and his countenance seldom shows surprise.

"I just burn to a crisp inside," said Dykes.

"The whole trouble is that no body on our club seems able to do any thinking. We've had injuries and bad breaks, but our pitching has been good and he oughtn't to have lost 10 out of 11 games—or 15 out of 19.

"The club looked good on the coast. I think we'll get going eventually. But we'll have to get some hitting pretty soon."

The White Sox have no regular batter over .250 and Luke Appling, who has not batted under

Breaks Many Records



GLORIA CALLEN

holder of 30 United States swimming records displays backstroke that has proven her one of the greatest performers in aquatic history.

Dodgers, Indians Forced To Meet Threats for Top

Former Only Half Game In Front

Big innings are one of the commonest occurrences in baseball and a well-known "sucker bet" is that the winning team in any game will score more runs in one frame than the losing team will in the entire game.

However, not many innings will compare with the frantic fourth at Cincinnati Monday when the Reds tallied 12 times against New York Giants to come within two runs of the modern major league record.

Up till this explosion the puny Reds had not made a hit off Bill McGee and were trailing 1 to 0 because of a homer by Willard Marshall in the second inning.

They made only six hits in the big blow-up, too, but they scored nine runs before the Giants got a man out, everybody in the batting order came to the plate twice and they still had the bases loaded at the finish.

This came eventually in the form of a 15 to 4 score and 35-year-old rookie Ray Starr's second victory of the campaign. He allowed eight hits.

PITCHING DUEL

In the only other National League game Pittsburgh Pirates pulled within half a game of the pacesetter Brooklyn Dodgers by nailing out Boston Braves 2 to 1 in a pitching duel between Bob Klinger and Jim Tobin. Each of them permitted six hits.

Cleveland's lead in the American League was shortened to one game as Boston Red Sox took their second straight decision from the Indians 11 to 8. The Sox were caught 15 to 11 and three of the Tribe's blows were home runs, but Boston managed to score six times in the first three innings and hold a lead the whole way.

Dick Newsome was batted out in the eighth, yet received credit for his fourth victory without a defeat.

New York Yankees crushed Chicago White Sox again 6 to 1, bunching five runs in a big third inning and keeping the Chisox shut out till the ninth, when an error by Phil Rizzuto after two were out opened up a scoring chance. Spud Chandler allowed just seven hits.

Detroit Tigers maintained their hold on second place by whipping Philadelphia Athletics 6 to 4 with a 12-hit attack led by Jimmy Bloodworth, who accounted for two runs with a homer and a single.

COAST LEAGUE

The San Francisco Seals, doghouse dwellers of the Coast Baseball League, have a real test of strength in a series with the San Diego Padres this week.

The San Franciscans trail monotonously in last place in the league standings, but they enjoy third-place spot in team batting averages to date.

Along with Los Angeles, the league batting stars and Seattle, the number-two stickers, the Seals are listed as a heavy-hitting outfit and therefore potential winners in any ball game.

In addition, Lefty O'Doul, San Francisco club manager, says his men are on the comeback trail after showing potential baseball ability in taking one game from Sacramento, Sunday, to keep the Sacs from winning all seven games of last week's series.

This week Barney Olsen, Angel slugger who is the current peer of league batters, gets a chance to maintain his .384 clip against Hollywood pitching staff.

The league-leading Seattle Rainiers match stellar pitching against Oakland's poor hitting at Oakland this week. The Oaks are third in team standings, but next to the last-place Hollywoods in the list of team batting averages.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
Detroit	6 12 0
Philadelphia	4 9 0
Batteries — Fuchs, Newhauser (9) and Tebbetts; Besse, Calligui (7) and Wagner.	
Cleveland	8 15 2
Boston	11 11 3
Batteries — Milnar, Krakauskas (8) and Desautels; Denning (6); H. Newsome, Houghson (8) and Peacock.	
Chicago	1 7 0
New York	6 10 1
Batteries — Humphries, Haynes (4) and Turner; Chandler and Dickey.	
NATIONAL LEAGUE	
New York	4 8 5
Cincinnati	15 11 1
Batteries — McGee, East (4); Feldman (4) and Dunning; Beres (6); Starr and Lamanno.	
Boston	1 6 2
Batteries — Tobin and Lombardi; Mast (9); Klinger and Phelps.	

Pacesetters in Major Baseball

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting — Walker, Brooklyn, 349.
Runs — Camilli, Brooklyn; Ott, New York; Musial, St. Louis, 15.
Runs batted in — F. McCormick, Cincinnati, 20.
Hits — Fernandez, Boston, 32.
Doubles — Fernandez, Boston, 8.
Triples — Seven tied with 2.
Home runs — Camilli, Brooklyn, 6.
Stolen bases — Fernandez, Boston and Miller, Boston, 4.
Pitching — Heinzelman, Pittsburgh, and Head, Brooklyn, 30.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting — Doerr, Boston, 467.
Runs — Williams, Boston, 24.
Runs batted in — York, Detroit, and Spence, Washington, 23.
Hits — Spence, Washington, 38.
Doubles — Higgins, Detroit, 10.
Triples — Spence, Washington, 6.
Home runs — York, Detroit, 7.
Stolen bases — Case, Washington, 8.
Pitching — Bagby, Cleveland, 50.

Ben Loving Tops P.G.A. Qualifiers

Ben Loving, new England stylist, was the United States medalist Monday as a dozen or more sites determined their qualifiers for the national pro golf championships instead of waiting for the scheduled date on Friday.

Loving, competing at Newton, Mass., stormed over the par 71 Woodland Country Club layout in 69 during the afternoon round after matching par before lunch. He finished two strokes ahead of Tom Mahan, also of Boston, in the field of 22.

Although a majority of the country's best pros were excused from qualifying because of previous accomplishments and all candidates in the armed services are immediately eligible for the May 25-31 competition at the Seaview Golf Club at Absecon, N.J., familiar names dotted the lists.

Sam Parks Jr., the former national open winner, qualified at Pittsburgh with 146. Harry Cooper, row of the Golden Valley layout in Minneapolis, registered a five under par 141 for two trips over the Town and Country Club course in the Minnesota city.

Al Watrous topped the field at Detroit with 148 and Ky Laffoon, shooting in Chicago, made the grade for the 10th time with a 148 aggregate.

Plan Changes in English Rugby Code

Reducing teams from 15 to 13 players and the elimination of the kick into touch between the two 25-yard areas were discussed and advocated when Victoria and Vancouver delegates of the B.C. Rugby Union met here over the week-end.

These two actions were advocated with a view to speeding up the game and providing more spectator attraction. Mainland delegates reported such a scheme was tried in Vancouver at the tail end of the late season and it proved popular with spectators and players.

The McKechnie Cup series and help for school and junior rugby was also discussed.

Officers elected for the coming season were: President, L. A. Pope, Vancouver (re-elected); secretary-treasurer, G. "Tiger" Rolfe, Vancouver (re-elected); chairman of referees' board, Maj. J. C. MacDonald, Victoria.

Delegates to the parley were G. Rolfe and O. Moscroft, Vancouver; Maj. MacDonald and A. H. Cox, Victoria.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Syracuse	3 8 3
Rochester	10 14 2
Batteries — Andrews, Wade (7) and Hartje; Wiseman and Robinson.	

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville	6 10 2
Minneapolis	7 9 2
Batteries — Wood, Rudd (4); Karl (6); Blumette (8) and Lacy; Walters (6); Kelly, Hash (5); Haefner (9) and Linton.	

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL

Toledo	1 3 1
Kansas City	2 6 0
Batteries — Kimberlin, McKen (8) and Spindel; Wensloff and Sears.	
Tacoma	5 6 6
Vancouver	4 5 4
Batteries — Wigton, Bradley (5) and Gross; Codman and Sueme.	

Gutta Percha Fivepin Champs

Gutta Percha pin spillers captured the championship of the senior fivepin league at Gibson's Bowladrome Monday night, defeating the Hudson's Bay in a four-game playoff. The tiremen had a total of 4,297 pins as compared to 3,853 for their opponents.

Cy Wallis topped the Gutta Percha squad with the final total of 1,139. Harold Paulding of the Bays was second high with 1,030.

Wallis was the winner of the individual averages with the fine mark of 237 for 70 games. Harold Paulding finished runner-up with 235 for 58 games, with Ken Munn in third position with 225.

High single game for the season was bowled by Dunc McCall with 378, while Dick Jones had the high three games with 938.

By lifting the championship Gutta Percha gained possession of the Ker and Stephenson Cup. Averages follow:

Cy Wallis 237, H. Paulding 225, K. Munn 225, Dunc McCall 220, W. Marshall 220, W. Fisher 218, D. Jones 218, A. Harrison 218, H. Gentry 216, Don McCall 209, E. Ayles 202, G. Davies 202, J. McCall 202, Tannan 202, J. Graham 202, F. Ayles 204, H. Anderson 204, C. Savage 202, L. Latta 201, Allen 201, G. Craig 198, A. McBride 198, H. Savage 198, W. Lewis 197, J. Marcus 197, A. Longley 195, B. Proctor 193, Peters 193, S. Frith 192, C. Nash 190, Howe 189, A. Ward 184, B. Collins 177, Ken 177, B. Coates 176, K. Cave 175, G. McPhee 174, A. Knowles 174, J. Hunt 172, A. Scarborough 169, L. Newell 162, R. Anderson 160.

Arcaro Listened To Jones—Lost

NEW YORK (AP) — Churchill Downs clean-up: The same guy who put Eddie Arcaro up on two derby winners, Ben Jones, took him off the third. When Eddie couldn't decide between Shut Out and Devil Diver, he sought Ben's advice and Jones told him that Devil Diver was considered the better horse.

When the Hollywood victory caravan drew a \$78,000 gate at the Boston Garden last Friday, it broke the record of \$72,000 established by a Strangler Lewis-Gus Sonnenberg wrestling match back in the 1920's. . . . Pittsburgh baseball writers have passed a rule that everyone in the press box must buy a defence stamp each day.

Here's how they matched Ken Overlin and Fred Apostoli for a Navy relief benefit fight at Norfolk June 26. . . . After Overlin had agreed, Apostoli was called into the office of the commander of the naval training station, where the high officials of the station were arranging the show. . . . Someone asked, "Would you be willing to meet Overlin?" . . . Freddie took one look at all the gold braid and merely asked: "When?"

RIFLE SCORES

MONTREAL (CP) — Results of the first stage in the 27th annual Dominion marksmen junior small bore rifle team championship were announced today, with the selection of leading teams from each province to advance to the final shoot-off.

Outstanding score of the first stage competition was posted by Oakwood Collegiate Institute, Toronto, defending Dominion champions, who led more than 100 rifle clubs across Canada with a score of 1,480 out of a possible 1,500.

The scores in the western provinces include: Rainbow Sea Cadets, Victoria, 1,438; Brentwood College Cadets Corps, Victoria, 1,403.

DYKES DRAWS FINE

NEW YORK (AP) — Manager Jimmy Dykes of Chicago White Sox was notified Monday that he had been fined \$50 for his impoliteness to umpire Ed. Rommel Sunday. Dykes was ordered from the field for disputing a decision in the second game of Sunday's double defeat.

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By Williams



Uncle Ray

Watchers 'Jumped' When Trevithick Started Automobile

Yesterday we spoke of Cugnot, the Frenchman who invented a three-wheeled steam truck 173 years ago. It was looked upon as a failure. If others had not taken up the idea, the world would not have the modern motor car.

An Englishman named Richard Trevithick is another inventor who should be honored. He was born in the year 1771.



This little picture appeared on a business card used by Richard Trevithick. It shows a steam locomotive which he built.

As a boy, Richard showed great promise in school. A story has come down to us that he could work six problems in arithmetic while his teacher was working one.

At the age of 25 Trevithick built a toy machine which ran across a table with the help of steam power. That toy was a steam automobile.

Five years later Trevithick invented a steam carriage with three wheels. The driver had a seat where he could turn the single wheel in front. Behind him was the steam engine, also two big wheels and a carriage to hold passengers.

A man named Stephen Williams made a record of a test trip made by Trevithick. He spoke of "Captain Dick," meaning Richard Trevithick. Here is part of what Williams wrote:

"On Christmas Eve, coming on evening, Captain Dick got up steam on the high road. When we saw that he was going to turn on steam, we jumped. ... It was a stiff hill, but she was off like a bird."

In the years 1803 and 1804, Trevithick made other public tests of steam motor cars. Once he traveled a distance of 90 miles from one city to another. He made a speed as high as 10 miles an hour.

One of Trevithick's machines was strong enough to haul a load of 10 tons. While doing so, it ran from five to seven miles an hour. Instead of going on with automobile work, this great inventor turned to the steam railway. He was a pioneer in railway progress, as well as in the field of the automobile.

While Trevithick was making tests in 1804, a Philadelphia man produced an odd invention. His name was Oliver Evans and he built a motor car which would run on land and through water. It ran a mile and a half through Philadelphia, then went into the Delaware river and was pushed forward by a paddle-wheel. Evans' machine was an ancestor of the "water-traveling jeep" of which we have been hearing lately.

Council to Meet Public Groups

Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education and chairman of B.C. Rehabilitation Council, today called the council for a meeting in Victoria, May 28.

The council will sit for two weeks, dividing its meetings between Victoria and Vancouver. For its third sitting the council will meet in other districts.

"The amount of information, suggestions and correspondence is already very considerable," the minister said. "We have been in close touch with Ottawa and have now received information as to what has been done by the federal government. The closest study is being given to all information and a breakdown will be prepared for submission to the council at its next meeting. After this has been studied by the council, organizations that are prepared will be met and their views heard in Victoria and Vancouver."

Mr. Perry said practically every business, municipal and other organizations, such as trade unions, farmers' institutes, trade boards, local councils of women have been or will be invited.

E. W. Abraham, president, will address the weekly meeting of the Victoria British-Israel Association at 8 tonight at First Baptist Church on "An Urgent Message for Today."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: A person in the sixties.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—The Women's Volunteer Organizations tell us to knit, to roll bandages, to make needlework to sell to raise money. I am not discrediting this, but to me there is, in addition to these prescribed duties, one that is more worthwhile than any of these. That is to keep up the morale of our own families, not with patriotic stories alone, but by keeping ourselves calm, by giving out courage, by being sweet and considerate as never before of our own, and by looking out for their physical welfare.

As any wise woman knows men need more cheering than women do at all times, and particularly now. So let us all spare no effort to be kind and sympathetic to our husbands and to go out of our way to forget ourselves and make the man of the house feel that he is the ruler of all that he surveys. When he reaches for his house slippers when he comes home, let him find them by his favorite chair. Let him have the best dinner the wife can prepare. Let her show a greater interest in what he has been doing during his working day. Or, if he is a quiet man, let him relax in peace and silence.

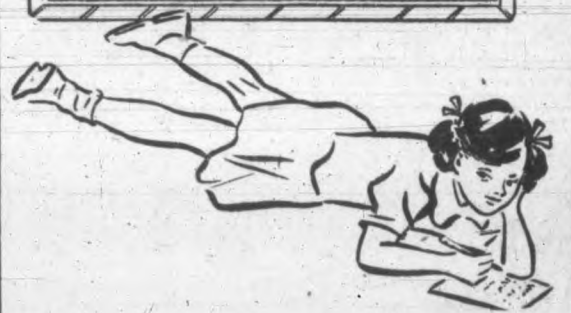
The home and all that it means has never been so important as it is now. Fill it with good cheer, simple pleasure, words of wisdom and courage. This is what we women have to contribute to the National Defence. The men can do the rest.

MRS. MARVIN C.

Answer: I hope that every woman who reads this fine, brave, wise letter will cut it out and paste it on her mirror where she will see it every time she puts on her complexion. And I hope it will inspire her to dip a little heavier into the rouge pot if she sees that the war is getting her down and she is looking pale and tired, and that she will make her mouth a little more kissable, and put on something gay and cheerful so that when her tired husband comes home, worn out with fighting over priorities, and sick with anxiety about how he is going to keep his little business going, he will have something pleasant to look at that will take his mind off of his troubles for a little while, at any rate.

And I hope that instead of discussing the war with him on an empty stomach, she will have a funny story to tell him and a budget of cheerful news that she has picked up during the day.

MY MOMMIE'S SENSIBLE!



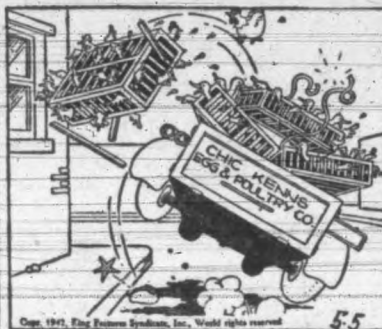
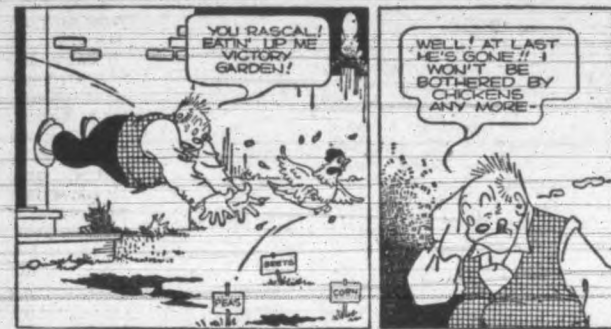
The other day my Mommie lost her beautiful new wrist watch! But instead of sitting down and crying like I've done, she just went straight to the telephone and called up the TIMES and told them she wanted to put a Want Ad in the Lost column. So yesterday a man called up and said he had Mommie's watch safe and sound, because she lost it in his store, and she could come get it right away.

Don't you think my Mommie's sensible? I do!

Yes, it's just sensible to rush a Want Ad to the TIMES the very minute you lose something. Recoveries are being made daily.

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Bringing Up Father



By George McManus

Boots and Her Buddies



By Martin

Wash Tubs



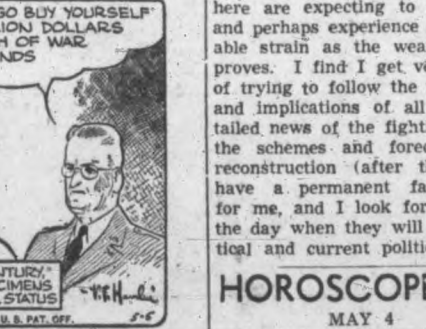
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Mr. and Mrs.



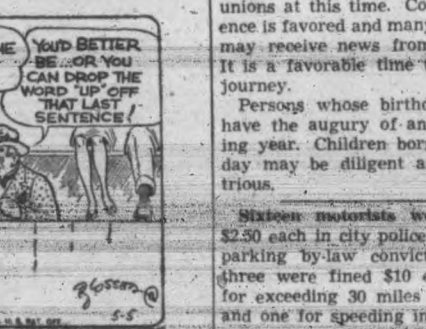
By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

Alley Oop



By V. T. Hamlin

Freckles and His Friends



By Merrill Blosser

Fear of Raids Soon Vanishes

People get used to anything—even air raids, according to a letter received by Harold M. Diggon, well-known businessman, from his brother-in-law, Ralph Andrews of Hampshire, England.

After discussing recent air raids in general, Mr. Andrews writes: "I can assure you you will be surprised how rapidly you become used to it. On the day when the raid occurred (the raid was mentioned in an earlier paragraph) I was in the house of my old friend Hapgood, going through a parcel of books he had just received. His housekeeper ran into the room to tell us of a dogfight overhead which could be watched from the garden. We were neither of us interested and went on overhauling the books.

ALL UNCONCERNED

"On looking out of the window I noticed no one seemed concerned; women went on shopping and chatting and really I could see no difference from their behavior under normal conditions.

"It was very different here when air raids first started. Then at the first suggestion of enemy planes the shops closed like lightning and the people vanished as if by magic into the holes in the ground that we call shelters, leaving the street in gloomy desertion.

"Familiarity seems to breed, if not contempt, at least indifference. I mention this for your encouragement."

A sentence in the letter gives an interesting view of an Englishman's thoughts of the war.

Mr. Andrews' letter says: "The war is likely to get worse before it is better, and we here are expecting to read of and perhaps experience considerable strain as the weather improves. I find I get very tired of trying to follow the incidents and implications of all the detailed news of the fighting. But the schemes and forecasts of reconstruction (after the war) have a permanent fascination for me, and I look forward to the day when they will be practical and current politics."

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MAY 4

Benefic aspects are noted for today. There may be many reunions at this time. Correspondence is favored and many persons may receive news from abroad. It is a favorable time to plan a journey.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of an interesting year. Children born on this day may be diligent and industrious.

Sixteen motorists were fined \$2.50 each in city police court on parking-by-law convictions and three were fined \$10 each, two for exceeding 30 miles per hour and one for speeding in a school zone.

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A.R.P. Equipment

Victoria Gets Big Proportion

Victoria has received a greater proportion of A.R.P. equipment than any other British Columbia city, Inspector S. F. M. Moodie, head of the provincial civilian protection branch, told a meeting of Victoria A.R.P. engineers Monday night. Victoria, he said, had been classified as a vulnerable area.

Inspector Moodie praised the engineering division, and said the engineering branch appeared better organized than in any other city he had visited.

While steel helmets would be provided as, and when, available, gas masks for decontamination squads and much fire equipment have already arrived in Victoria, he said. Although armed forces must be supplied first, he said, every A.R.P. warden and worker who, during an emergency would be in the open, was entitled to a steel helmet.

Inspector Moodie said no Dominion or provincial government could be expected to provide all the protection, although the Dominion government had agreed to supply certain types of equipment not available locally. In the first instance, he said, A.R.P. was largely a matter of organization of voluntary emergency services by the individual community.

He said sirens had been installed and funds for their upkeep had been provided at no cost to Victoria.

MacDonald Says

'Grow Your Own But Don't Scare'

Agriculture Minister K. C. MacDonald, while advising people to grow their own vegetables wherever possible, said today he could foresee no serious shortage of green vegetables in Victoria next winter.

"There are always people who get alarmed about everything," he said. "Certainly, I think it is sound to advise people to grow whatever they can for their own use, but I do not think there will be any serious shortage, unless commercial growers get scared and think that because everyone is growing his own, there will be no market and so will not plant crops."

Dr. MacDonald said he expects a short strawberry crop this year because of evacuation of Japanese from the vast berry farms of the Fraser Valley. Many whites are now settling on these farms, he said, but there has been some delay and naturally, as a result the crop will be short. Fewer strawberries are not as serious as fewer vegetables, he agreed.

A meeting in the interests of the Mission to Lepers will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 at 1012 Chamberlain Street.

Malahat to Link Island

New Ferry to Handle 80 Cars, 1,000 Tourists

By the middle of next month the Puget Sound Navigation Company (Black Ball Line) will have the 18-knot ferry steamer Malahat, renamed after Victoria's famous scenic highway, operating in the tourist service between this port and the mainland of Washington state.

Confirmation of the new trans-strait service, which is expected to bring crowds of short-vacation tourists to Vancouver Island this summer, was given today by Leslie Pelling, local general agent for the Black Ball Line.

The question of the increased ferry service was discussed Monday afternoon by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, and as a result of the meeting, a resolution passed by that body and linked with the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, was forwarded to Capt. A. Peabody, president of the Puget Sound Navigation Company at Seattle, congratulating him on the acquisition of the new ferry steamer to ply between Victoria and the mainland of the United States and voicing appreciation of the renaming of the vessel Malahat.

George I. Warren said the ferry was capable of accommodating over 80 automobiles and more than 1,000 passengers.

Mayors' Parley Items Discussed

Victoria will seek discussion on national defence and A.R.P. matters at the annual meeting of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities in Ottawa, May 26, 27 and 28, Mayor Andrew McGavin told George Mooney, executive secretary of the federation, at the City Hall today.

Mr. Mooney visited the mayor in the course of a trip across Canada during which he is studying price control issues. While in various cities he is seeking data on items the different districts plan to raise at the conference.

The city's brief on the national defence question, the mayor indicated, will seek further assurances from the federal government to the effect no effort is being spared to safeguard the country. Such pronouncements, it was felt here, would do much to maintain and improve civilian morale.

On the A.R.P. question, the mayor plans to put forward the city's position. In the course of his presentation he will note that Victoria already has 1,159 A.R.P. warden compared to the 500 the city would have under the model scheme announced in Ottawa. He will also state 1,500 would not be too many for this region.

Retailers May Stagger Store Closing Hours

Hugh Francis, president of the Retail Merchants' Section, Victoria Chamber of Commerce, said today a meeting of the merchants would be called later this week to discuss the staggering, advancing or retarding of store hours to meet Victoria's transportation problem.

Store hours will be staggered in Vancouver beginning May 15 to alleviate the closing hour rush.

Removal of one or two boulevard trees on Robertson Street to prevent further blocking of a sewer there is sought in a letter to the city from H. W. Baylis.

Poison Clams Found on Coast

G. J. Alexander, deputy minister of the provincial department of fisheries, said today it was quite probable the two Indians who died of the poisonous effects of clams, near Uchelet Monday, were killed by the same poison that has been found to permeate clams on the Washington coast.

"Mussels secrete a toxic poison at certain times of the year," Mr. Alexander said, "but usually not until later in the summer."

He said the Indian deaths were being investigated by the Department of Health to determine just what type of poison killed the two.

CATS, CHICKENS DIE

SEATTLE (AP)—The deaths of scores of cats and chickens which ate clams dug along Grays Harbor beaches over the weekend, brought warnings today from the State Department of Health division of laboratories for human beings not to use such clams.

The disease does not appear to be botulism and seems more like a mussel poison which comes on later in the summer, a laboratory spokesman said. Until its nature is definitely determined, the clams should be avoided.

The tests and findings must be sent to California for further study. The clams were reported dug along a 40-mile stretch of beach from Ocean Beach to Copalis. On Sunday numerous diggers took out full limits of clams.

3 Victorians On Subcommittee

G. H. Stevens, St. John Ambulance Brigade, Dr. E. W. Boak and Lt. Col. E. H. W. Elkington, district medical officer, all of Victoria, have been named to a subcommittee on medical care, W. C. Mainwaring, chairman of the advisory council, Provincial Civilian Protection Committee, announced Monday.

Also named to the subcommittee were Dr. T. A. Briggs of Comox and Col. Gordon Kenning, officer commanding No. 16 General Hospital, Vancouver. The subcommittee is under the chairmanship of Dr. Howard Spohn, Vancouver.

George C. Derby, B.C. representative of the Department of Pensions and National Health; J. Fyfe-Smith, St. John Ambulance Brigade, and Inspector S. F. M. Moodie of the Provincial Police, all members of the advisory council, Civilian Protection Committee, are other members of the subcommittee.

The subcommittee is charged with the responsibility of drafting regulations covering the treatment and hospitalization of casualties when they have been removed from first aid posts. Province-wide in selection, the subcommittee will have province-wide responsibility, Mr. Mainwaring said.

The first meeting of the subcommittee will be tonight in Vancouver.

Mennonite Families Arrive in North B.C.

Ten Mennonite families, composed of 20 adults and 74 children, have arrived in the Vanderhoof-Burns Lake area to take up farming, it was said today at the Legislative Buildings.

They have joined 25 Mennonite families and 15 more families will arrive shortly. All are from Saskatchewan.

Telling of their keenness, the government relief agency, in a letter to Victoria headquarters, says: "I feel the Saskatchewan authorities certainly chose industrious families."

He points out they arrived at 5:30 a.m. one day and in 48 hours had unloaded 17 cars of stock, feed and equipment and moved them to their farms; the women had set up housekeeping and the men had started their farms on leased land. They have brought some money with them and so will not become public charges on this province. The Saskatchewan government paid their train fare.

Government officials who received them point out they are a very good type of citizen, good workers and understand the conditions which they will face in the northern interior of the province.

The Saanich Good Will Association will hold a business meeting Thursday afternoon at 2:15.

Permission to use 335 Cormorant Street as a stable, subject to certain defined provisions, will be accorded the Island Farms Ltd. if a recommendation of a special committee on the matter is approved by the City Council.

Contributions \$550 During First Day

Returns from canvassers for the Saanich A.R.P. Ambulance Fund Monday, the first day of the campaign, were \$550, W. A. Green, Saanich municipal clerk who is acting as treasurer for the campaign, said this morning. A.R.P. officials hope to collect \$4,000 during the six-day campaign.

The money will be used to purchase two ambulances similar to those commissioned by the Victoria A.R.P. organization, and to equip about 25 panel delivery trucks to be used as auxiliary ambulance during an emergency. The delivery trucks are already available, Capt. E. D. W. Leven, head of Saanich A.R.P. said.

Of the total amount collected, so far \$105 was contributed before the campaign actually began, Mr. Green said. He said the contributions would have to average \$700 a day to complete the drive by Saturday.

Cheques and contributions are payable to the Saanich A.R.P. Ambulance Fund, Municipal Hall, Royal Oak.

Rev. F. J. Scroggie Held at Border

Rev. F. John Scroggie, a Scotsman born in London on St. Patrick's Day, who for many years filled the dual role of banker-preacher, was delayed by the United States immigration authorities at Seattle when he was unable to satisfy them about his movements, with the result that he was unable to fill his scheduled engagements here Sunday.

"They wanted to know if I had complied with the draft regulations and when I told them I was a British subject and not eligible for the U.S. draft they had to cable Washington, D.C.," said Mr. Scroggie on his arrival here this morning to speak on the general theme of "Prophecy and World Crises."

When he failed to appear Sunday at the Central Baptist Church Dr. J. B. Rowell had to substitute for him.

"If you have been in the United States for a period of three months you have to have a military permit to leave," said Mr. Scroggie.

BURNED OUT OF HOME

For six years minister of the East London Tabernacle, while also holding the office of manager of Barclay's Bank in London, Mr. Scroggie, who is a brother of Rev. Graham Scroggie of Spurgeon's Tabernacle, was four times burned out of his house in the London blitz and lost all his household furniture by fire.

The auditorium of the East London Tabernacle was destroyed but the services are still being held in the church lecture hall.

The blitzed area of the London metropolis will be rebuilt as a memorial to the world war, said Mr. Scroggie. The plans, he said, take the form of a wide boulevard from Cheapside to Holborn.

Paterson Row, which survived the old fire of London and because of its historic associations remained intact until the Nazi blitz of August, 1940, is no more and will be incorporated in the beautification scheme. In this central area the only building remaining intact is St. Paul's Cathedral.

Discussing London, Mr. Scroggie said the morale of the British people was never higher. "No one in Britain," he said, "has time to think about fear, because every man and woman has his or her job to do." The restrictions obviously necessary in food and clothing, he said, are borne with an unprecedented calm.

Turning to the war's progress, Mr. Scroggie said: "There is a growing impression that the war will collapse through internal dissension both in Germany and the occupied countries. The view generally taken is that the morale of the people of the continent under the air blitz waged by the R.A.F. will sow wide-spread revolution."

"And if and when the war ends — by whatever way — no quarter or consideration will be given to any enemy in the over-run countries."

Naval Press Liaison Officer Appointed

Newly appointed press liaison officer to the navy, Lieut. A. O. Tate arrived in Victoria over the weekend to take up his new duties here.

A former employee of the Toronto Star, Lieut. Tate joined the service in July, 1940, and immediately proceeded overseas to join the Canadian destroyer force serving with it chiefly on convoy work for 11 months. On his return to Canada he served as photographic officer at Ottawa until his appointment as P.L.O. on this coast.

Pattullo Insists on Oil Referendum

T. D. Pattullo, K.C., M.L.A. for Prince Rupert, and former Premier of the province, has fired another round in his fight to keep the oil resources of the Peace River district in the hands of the people.

After receiving a negative answer from Premier John Hart to his request for a referendum, Mr. Pattullo is now appealing to public bodies and individuals to press the government for one. He is broadcasting the following letter throughout the province: "Once again I am addressing the public upon the important question of the oil resources in the Peace River district. If there were no war the public mind would be intensely focused upon this matter, yet the war illustrates in very definite form the necessity of government control of oil resources."

"So important do I consider this matter that I wrote to Premier Hart, suggesting that the government refer the question to the electorate by way of referendum in order to give the electors the opportunity to determine government policy; that is to say, whether the area shall be developed by the government for the benefit of the people, or be exploited by private endeavor. The Premier did not concur in my suggestion of a referendum, and stated that the government was prepared to accept full responsibility for any policy which may be pursued. I thereupon wrote to the Premier as follows: 'I have yours of the 25th regarding proposal for a referendum in respect of the oil resources in the Peace River area. I note you point out that governmental exploration was started as far back as 1918-1923 without a referendum to the electorate to determine policy. I would point out that you propose to change the policy adopted at that time as evidenced by the legislation which you caused to be passed last session. 'I repeat that this is a matter of so great importance that I think it should be settled by the people themselves so that no government can run counter to the wishes of the electorate. If alienation to private interests be made now, it will be too late for the people to do anything about it except to express their disapproval at a general election and this wonderful opportunity upon behalf of the province will have been gone.'"

"The foregoing is self-explanatory. I urge upon all public bodies and individuals that request be made to the government to hold a referendum in order that the electorate may determine the policy which it desires shall be pursued in respect to the oil resources in the Peace River district. This is the time to ensure that this great resource shall be retained for the people and not handed over for exploitation by private interests. Now is the time to act before alienation takes place. It will be too late later."

Cameron Demands Complete Equality

PORT ALBERNI (CP)—Complete equality of sacrifice among all classes in Canada to win the war was called for by Colin Cameron, M.L.A. for Comox, in addressing a public meeting here under auspices of International Woodworkers of America.

"There is no reason why in time of war anyone should have a more lavish standard of living than the workers," he said. "If Mr. King would realize this he'd get unity in this country, without being obliged to resort to any ridiculous plebiscite."

Nigel Morgan of the International Woodworkers of America, called for a second front to win the war this year. He outlined work of the industrial councils being formed throughout Canada and cited an airplane factory in Montreal where production had been raised from 15 to 30 planes in a given period by co-operation between unions and management after formation of the council.

Call On Farmers To Grow More Flax

OTTAWA (CP)—Hon. J. G. Taggart, wartime Prices and Trade Board foods administrator, today appealed to western Canadian farmers to increase their flax acreage to the utmost, "as a patriotic duty."

The situation of the United Nations was increasingly serious in regard to vital supplies of vegetable oils, and if farmers delayed in planning an increased flax acreage, "it will be too late."

The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau today applied to the city for \$3,000 on account of its annual grant to meet current expenses.

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OBITUARY

TAYLOR—Rev. F. W. McKinnon conducted funeral service for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Taylor at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Monday. Burial was at Ross Bay.

MACKINTOSH—Funeral for Charles St. Lawrence Mackintosh was conducted Monday at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel by Ven. Archdeacon Robert Connell. Cremation was at Royal Oak.

SCLATER—Funeral service for Lt. Col. James Sclater will be conducted at 2 Thursday at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating. Cremation at Royal Oak. The ashes will be interred in the Masonic Cemetery, Vancouver. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company have charge.

HALL—Dianne Lucille Hall, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hall, 3009 Cedar Hill Road, died at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning. Funeral will be conducted from St. Andrew's Cathedral at 2 Thursday afternoon, Rev. Monsignor A. G. Baker officiating. Burial at Ross Bay. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company has charge.

MACDONALD—Miss Anabel Macdonald, a native of Nova Scotia who had lived in Victoria 25 years, died at her home, 1436 Stadacona Avenue, today. She is survived by one brother, A. C. Macdonald; three sisters, Mrs. D. Fleming, Mrs. W. B. Greig and Mrs. W. N. Finlay, all of Victoria. The remains are resting at McCall Bros' Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements are pending.

ROBERTSON—Rev. George Biddle officiated this morning at funeral services for Judge H. E. A. Robertson at St. John's Church. He was assisted by Canon F. A. P. Chadwick. Honorary pallbearers were: Hon. S. G. Perry, Col. H. S. Tobin, Martin Johnson, C. J. Prior, Dr. H. B. Rogers and Robert Cassidy, K.C. Acting pallbearers were: Judge H. H. Shandley, R. H. Pooley, K.C., J. L. Mara, John Bray, Commissioner T. W. S. Parsons and William C. Todd. Cremation at Royal Oak. The ashes will later be interred at Ross Bay. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company had charge.

CARTER—Arthur Carter of Esquimalt Lagoon, age 62, died at St. Joseph's Hospital Monday. Born in Croydon, England, Mr. Carter had lived here 53 years. He was a member of the Victoria Columbia Lodge No. 1, A.F. & A.M. and a veteran of the South African War. He is survived by his widow, Violet; one daughter, Mrs. H. E. Pearson, of 2867 Colquitz Avenue, Saanich; one sister, Mrs. Lydia Morton, in the city. Funeral will be conducted from McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel at 2 Wednesday under the auspices of the Victoria Columbia Lodge No. 1, A.F. & A.M. Cremation at Royal Oak.

To Train Foremen For War Industry

Classes for training war industry foremen and supervisors, similar to training centres operated in the United States, will be opened shortly in Victoria, according to Lieut. Col. F. T. Fairley, regional director of War Emergency Services for British Columbia.

Federal labor officials announced today that classes would be opened in Vancouver also. Notices have been sent out to British Columbia enterprises with war contracts, inviting them to submit names of employees suitable for special training.

The whole plan in B.C. will be under the direction of Lieut. Col. Fairley, who is also provincial director of technical training.

Thomas' Evening Of Superb Singing

By S. F. B.

John Charles Thomas sang to a capacity audience last night at the Royal Victoria Theatre, an audience that demonstrated its approval with sustained energy through a long program, almost half of which was in French. Thomas is an artist who captivates by intense sincerity, and who has the gift of conveying ease of platform manner without sacrificing essential dignity. It is this quality that has ensured for him an honored place in the esteem of his professional colleagues as well as his vast audiences.

The program was mapped through paths that were fresh to local audiences, with a sufficient sprinkling of well-known songs to make the landscape enjoyably familiar. The jarring note, as always, was the poor selection of songs in English. Why is it, that all too often singers give a fine program of songs in other languages which makes the music native to our tongue seem to be little more than pleasant frills. "Where'er You Walk," by Handel; "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes" and "Fulfillment," by Russell, were the only native songs sung that have the "stuff" of immortality in them.

SONGS SEEM GREATER

Technically, Thomas is superb; impeccable diction allied to fine phrasing made the slightest song seem to be greater than it really is. It never faltered through the entire program, which commenced with a group of songs cast in the early 17th and 18th century style. The monologue from Giordano's "Andrea Chenier" was finely sung, but somehow seemed to be unconvincing as music; however, the performance deservedly demanded an encore, and Thomas responded with an equally impressive interpretation of Wagner's "O Star of Eve."

The group of French songs, more modern in idiom, was the highlight of the evening. We shall not soon forget the perfect matching of fine music and fine performance in Franck's "La Procession," Pienre's "Mignon" and "Vision Fugitive," from Massenet's "Merolade."

The concluding group in English was slight in stature, but entertaining in content, a fitting conclusion to a memorable evening.

Carroll Hollister, the pianist, played throughout without a score, and his musicianship matched this excellent physical feat. He contributed a group of solos which included Myra Hess' arrangement of Bach's Choral Prelude "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," Debussy's "Reflections on the Water," and Grainger's "Handel on the Strand."

Railwaymen's Protest To Court of Appeal

Appeal of the Street Railwaymen's Union against one-man street cars for Vancouver has been referred to the Court of Appeal, Premier John Hart said today.

The government has this right under the Public Utilities Act. The Public Utilities Commission some weeks ago gave the B.C. Electric Railway Company the power to buy 20 new one-man street cars. The union protested to the provincial cabinet.

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FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of Victoria Columbia Lodge, No. 1, A.F. and A.M., B.C.R., are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple, Fingert Street, on Wednesday, May 6, at 1.30 p.m. for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother Arthur Carter. Sojourning brethren in good standing are invited to attend.

By order of the Worshipful Master,
CHARLES NICKERSON, Secretary.

More Sacrifices Demanded of Nazis

LONDON (CP)—A Zurich dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph said today Hitler's Voelkischer Beobachter had called on Germany's war industry for increased production in a last gigantic struggle and the tone of Nazi press comment was more and more grim.

"Victory will only be possible when war industry supports the fighting troops by increased production, straining every effort and throwing all our force into a last gigantic struggle," the dispatch said.

"What is decisive in this war is not only the quality of the arms, but also the quantity of war material and munitions of all kinds."

The Berliner Boersenzeitung was quoted: "The war has developed into a real total war. Private life no longer exists in Germany. This war demands ever-growing sacrifices in blood and health."

New Word

Pneumonoultramicroscopicsilicovolcanokoniosis, a new word, is the name of a special disease caused by inhaling silicous volcanic dust.

Where to Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—“Blues in the Night,” starring Frisella Lane.

CADET—Tyron Power in “A Yank in the R.A.F.”

CAPITOL—“The Fleets In,” starring Dorothy Lamour.

DOMINION—“Nazi Agent,” starring Conrad Veidt.

OAK BAY PLAZA—“Jungle Book,” starring Sabu and Patricia O'Rourke.

RIO—Victor McLaglin and Jackie Cooper in “The Big Guy.”

YORK—Joan Crawford and Fredric March in “Susan and God.”



CONRAD VEIDT and lovely Ann Ayars are the principals in the new M-G-M drama, “Nazi Agent,” now on the Dominion screen. The story of political intrigue casts Veidt in a thrilling dual role in which he plays twin brothers, one a kindly book-seller; the other a sinister spy. The film marks the second role played by Miss Ayars following her debut as the glamour debutante in “Dr. Kildare's Victory.”

Next Season's Attractions



BLUEBEARD BALLET



SERGE JAROFF JOSEF HOFMANN

Shown above are three of the seven great attractions scheduled for the 1942-43 subscription series of Hilker attractions. At top is a scene from the famous “Bluebeard” ballet, starring Baronova and Dolin, which will be the highlight of the one-day's engagement here of the Ballet Theatre, foremost Russian ballet organization in the world today. The famous company will bring its entire personnel of 125, including symphony orchestra, to the Royal Victoria Theatre in early January. Below at the left is an interesting photograph of Serge Jaroff, diminutive conductor of the famous Don Cossack chorus and dancers, who are returning in response to insistent demand, to give another of their famous stirring programs in Victoria. Lower right is a study of the great pianist, Josef Hofmann. This towering figure of the piano world will at last be heard in Victoria on the subscription series, and marks a pinnacle in the great array of artists scheduled for this city. Other attractions on the Hilker list are the volcanic “Carman

Amaya and her troupe of gypsy dancers, singers and musicians; the world's greatest contralto, golden-voiced Marian Anderson, making her first appearance in this city; Mozart's gay and rollicking opera, “The Marriage of Figaro,” presented by the Nine o'Clock Opera Company, a vital young company of fresh, vivid voices, and Richard Crooks, the continent's greatest tenor, whose return will delight his legion of admirers here.

On Sunday evening, May 10, the United Church Young People have been invited to be the guests of Metropolitan Church at an evening rally. Clifford Batstone and Dick Johnson will assist Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D., at the evening church service. After the service Metropolitan Young People will act as hosts in a social hour. All young people, and especially boys in the armed forces, will be welcomed to enjoy an hour of fellowship.

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COLBERT PICKS DRAMATIC ROLE

There is a good reason why Claudette Colbert chose “Remember the Day,” coming tomorrow to the Atlas Theatre, as the one picture she does this year outside of her Paramount contract.

A few years ago Claudette was suddenly discovered as a great comedienne when she played in “It Happened One Night.” That picture turned not only Claudette, but also the entire motion picture industry, along the path of light comedy.

Through light comedy roles, Claudette Colbert reached a height of stardom far greater than she had enjoyed before.

“But now I am beginning to think of that frightening bogey of all actors—typing,” says Claudette.

“There may come a time when a great dramatic role will offer itself and people will have forgotten that I ever did anything besides comedy.”

“NAZI AGENT” AT DOMINION

Busiest man at M-G-M during the filming of “Nazi Agent,” opening today at the Dominion Theatre was Conrad Veidt, who changed his make-up more often than a chorus girl changes costumes.

In this he plays a dual role—that of twins. One brother is a kindly and scholarly collector of rare stamps and first editions. The other is a sinister saboteur. When the two characters appear together, the split screen filming technique is used. It was suggested that Veidt first do all the work of one character and then switch to the other. But Veidt felt that he could vary his performance and achieve more reality by characterization with the other.

This entailed tremendous make-up effort. As the kindly twin he wears a beard, rather bushy eyebrows and glasses. His other self is smooth shaven and austere. On one day Veidt changed make-up eight times.

Feminine lead in the new picture is Ann Ayars.

CADET THEATRE

“A Yank in the R.A.F.,” the new 20th Century-Fox film produced by Darryl F. Zanuck, is now at the Cadet Theatre. Tyron Power is starred and Betty Grable heads the featured cast, which includes John Sutton, Reginald Gardiner and Gladys Cooper, in this picturization of Britain's flying fighters on the job—and at play.

RIO THEATRE

Victor McLaglin and Jackie Cooper co-star in Universal's “The Big Guy,” which is now at the Rio Theatre. Featuring Ona Munson, Peggy Moran and Ed Brophy, the dramatic story is said to offer McLaglin, Academy Award winner, and Cooper their most impressive screen roles in recent months.

YORK

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OAK BAY—PLAZA THEATRES

Escaping from the Nazi air blitz which destroyed her London home, 19-year-old Faith Brook, daughter of the celebrated actor, Clive Brook, arrived in Hollywood and was given an important role in Alexander Korda's picturization of Rudyard Kipling's “Jungle Book,” now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres.

Miss Brook was born in London and came to Hollywood with her parents at the age of two. Later, she attended school in London and Switzerland and studied in Paris. Finally she was enrolled at the Royal Academy and was still there when World War II started. She signed up in a women's work battalion and was sent to work on a farm outside London.

After many months, she was told to wait for further instructions but her father insisted that she sail for America. Miss Brook is fond of athletics, is an expert horsewoman, plays tennis and golf, swims and plays the piano. Her first Hollywood role was in “Suspicion.”

YORK THEATRE

Hollywood stars who “want to do a play” need have no fear of the Broadway critics provided they use care in the choice of a stage vehicle, but not even Garbo could score a hit in New York if her material was poorly selected, declares Fredric March.

March, who returned to films in “Susan and God,” picturization of the Rachel Crothers' stage hit, which is currently showing at the York Theatre, flatly denied that the Broadway critics are “laying” for the film personalities or that there is any resentment of a film name invading the New York footlights.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Seven new songs now enjoying hit-parade popularity are played by Jimmy Dorsey and his orchestra in “The Fleet's In,” new Paramount comedy currently at the Capitol Theatre, and are sung by many members of the cast, headed by Dorothy Lamour, William Holden and Eddie Bracken. The tunes are “Tangerine,” “I Remember You,” “When You Hear the Time Signal,” “Arthur Murray Taught Me Dancing in a Hurry,” “If You Build a Better Mousetrap,” “Not Mine” and “The Fleet's In.”

ATLAS

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“Nazi Agent,” starring Conrad Veidt.

“Jungle Book,” starring Faith Brook.

“The Big Guy,” starring Victor McLaglin and Jackie Cooper.

“The Roaring 20s,” starring Humphrey Bogart and Gladys George.

“The Woman,” starring Joan Crawford and Fredric March.

“Susan and God,” starring Rita Hayworth and Ruth Hussey.

“The Marriage of Figaro,” starring Richard Crooks and Betty Grable.

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